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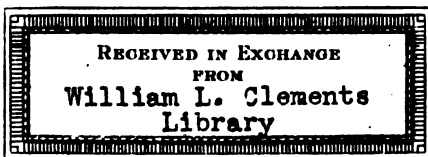
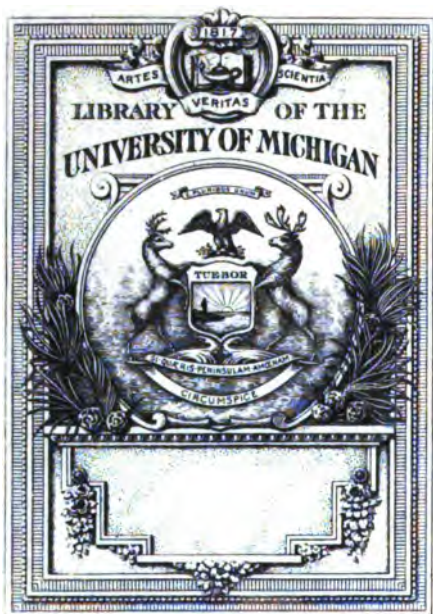
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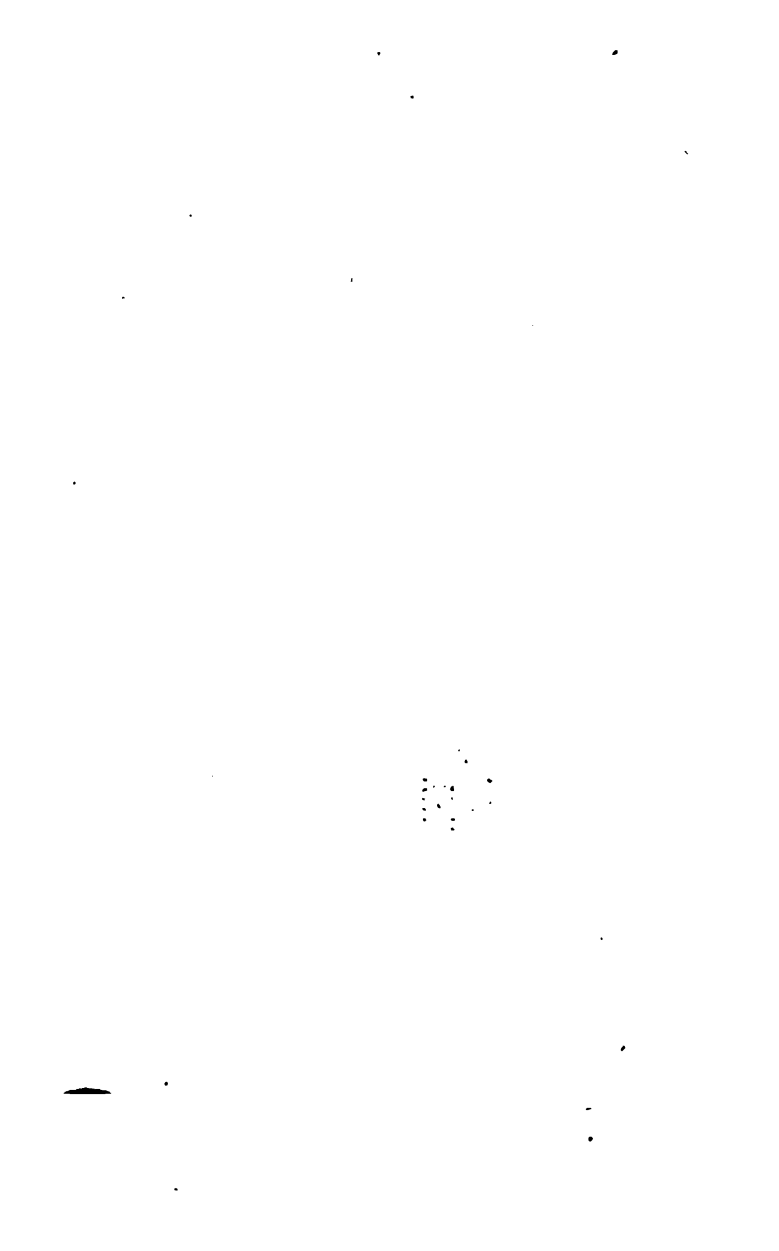
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FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 1,
1856.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day
of *June*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For substituting a money payment for certain property belonging to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Saint Asaph, and for regulating the incomes of the deans and canons residentiary of the same church.

For substituting a money payment to the Bishop of Oxford for a certain estate belonging to his see.

For permanently annexing a canonry residentiary in the cathedral church of St. Asaph to each of the archdeaconries of St. Asaph and Montgomery, in the diocese of St. Asaph.

For substituting a money payment to the Archdeacon of Durham, for certain property belonging to his archdeaconry.

For substituting a money payment for certain estates belonging to the bishoprick of Carlisle.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the sinecure rectory of Fulham, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

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For authorising the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the see of Gloucester and Bristol, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *June*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representation made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For assigning particular districts to the consecrated churches of St. Jude, Manchester; St. Stephen, Chorlton-upon-Medlock; St. Oswald, Collyhurst; and St. John, at Miles Platting.

Foreign-Office, June 21, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Patrick Carruthers, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Taganrog.

Commission signed by the Queen.

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

William Henry Bennett, Esq., to be Adjutant, from the 15th May, 1856. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Brecknock.

George Thomas Lowth, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th June, 1856.

John Douglas Dickinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant and
Sheriff Principal of the County of Ayr.*

The Royal Ayrshire Rifles.

Ensign Joseph Booth Gretton, late of the Royal
Flint Militia, to be Ensign, vice McLachlan,
promoted. Dated 20th June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Monmouth.*

*Royal Monmouthshire Light Infantry Regiment of
Militia.*

John Zamoiski, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated
23rd June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Worcester.*

*Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire
Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Walter de Sodington Blount, Esq., to be Cornet,
vice Hulme, resigned.

Reigate Union.—Foreign of Reigate.

An Order of the Poor Law Board to the
Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the
part of the parish of Reigate termed the Foreign
of Reigate, in the county of Surrey, and to all
others whom it may concern, dated the 24th day
of June, 1856, directs that so much of the Act
13th and 14th Vict., c. 57, as relates to the ap-
pointment of a vestry clerk shall forthwith be
applied to and be put in force within the said part
of the parish of Reigate.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 4,
1856.

Whitehall, July 2, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Valentine Fleming, Esq., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Tasmania.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Dominick Daly, Esq., Lieutenant-Governor of Prince Edward Island.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Francis Hole, junior, Master of Arts, to the vicarage of Broad Hempston, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, void by the death of the Reverend John Pitman.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend John Adam Macfarlane to the church and parish of Kinlochbervie, in the presbytery of Tongue, and county of Sutherland, vacant by the death of the Reverend Robert Clarke.

Whitehall, July 3, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph Martindale Harrison, Gent., to be Lieutenant in the Artillery Company of London, for the term of five years from the date hereof.

Downing-Street, July 3, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Aiton Mann, Esq., to be Clerk of Works for the Island of Mauritius.

Westminster, March 7, 1856.

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to grant allowances of excise duty on malt in stock, to alter and regulate certain drawbacks and allowances in respect of malt duty, to repeal and re-impose the excise duty on sugar used in brewing beer, and to amend the law relating to malt roasters.

An Act to continue the Act for extending for

a limited time the provision for abatement of income tax in respect of insurance on lives.

An Act to authorize the West India Relief Commissioners to grant further time for the repayment of moneys advanced by them in certain cases.

An Act to amend the Act for transferring to counties in Ireland certain works constructed wholly or in part with the public money.

An Act for the better preservation of the peace in Ireland.

An Act for the further amendment of the laws relating to labour in factories.

An Act to carry into effect a Convention respecting a loan by Her Majesty to the King of Sardinia.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from Barnby Moor, in the county of Nottingham, to Maltby, in the county of York, and from Whiston to Rotherham, in the said county of York.

An Act for better paving the city of Glasgow, and for other purposes, in relation to the statute labour of the said city.

An Act for the transfer of the Wolverhampton Water Works to the Wolverhampton New Water Works Company, and for other purposes.

An Act for repairing the road from Blackburn, in the county palatine of Lancaster, to Addingham and Cocking End, in the West Riding of the county of York, and the road from Old Accrington to its junction with such road in Habergham Eaves, in the said county of Lancaster.

An Act for making a railway from the Chappel Station of the Colchester, Stour Valley, Sudbury and Halstead Railway, to Halstead, in the county of Essex, and for other purposes."

An Act to incorporate "The Wandsworth and

Putney Gas Light and Coke Company," and for other purposes.

An Act to continue the Honiton and Sidmouth Turnpike Trust and for other purposes.

An Act to incorporate "The West Ham Gas Company," to enable them to raise further money, to confirm a contract between the said Company and the Commercial Gas Company, and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the North British Railway Company to raise more money, and to build a bridge over Leith Wynd, in Edinburgh, and for other purposes.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from Penrith to Cockermouth, and other roads connected therewith, and for making and maintaining several new roads, all in the county of Cumberland.

An Act to consolidate the Drainage Trusts in Deeping Fen, in the county of Lincoln, and for other purposes relating to the said fen.

An Act for more effectually repairing certain roads in the county of Chester, of which the short title is "Stockport and Warrington Road Act, 1856."

An Act for enlarging and improving the Elgin and Lossiemouth Harbour, for raising a further sum of money, and for other purposes.

An Act to enable the Carmarthen and Cardigan Railway Company to make a deviation of a portion of their line of railway, and to abandon parts thereof, and to grant further powers to the Company, and for other purposes.

Whitehall, June 27, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Richard Harding, of South Molton, in the county of Devon, and of Torr Down, in the parish of Swymbridge, in the said county, Clerk, Master of Arts, Her royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal great uncle, James Nott, late of Torr Down aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Nott, instead of that of Harding, and also bear the arms of Nott quarterly with his and their own family arms ; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 2, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing as follows the duties upon the undermentioned articles :

Fabrics of cotton (other than nankeens), 35 per cent., ad valorem;

Fabrics of wool, 30 per cent., ad valorem;

To be converted into a fixed duty, to be determined by the Consultative Committee of Arts and Manufactures.

— Wearing apparel, 40 per cent., ad valorem.

Products arising directly or indirectly from the decomposition of salt, will further pay the duty to which manufactured salts are subject by the Decree of the 17th March, 1852.

Admiralty, 23rd June, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Gentleman Cadet George Majendie Vivian to be
Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Edward Servante to be
Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Edward O'Donovan Powell to
be Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet James Anderson Morice to be
Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet Daniel Thomas Woodriff to be
Second Lieutenant.

Gentleman Cadet William Younghusband to be
Second Lieutenant.

Admiralty, 27th June, 1856.

BREVET.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Trant Murray Payne,
having been allowed to retire on full pay, under
the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in
Council, 13th September, 1854, to be Colonel,
the rank being honorary only.

Admiralty, 28th June, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Captain Arthur Sandys Stawell Walsh to be
Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Payne, retired.

First Lieutenant Francis Harry Noott to be Captain, vice Walsh, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Daniel Conner to be First Lieutenant, vice Noott, promoted.

Admiralty, 2nd July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Charles Grey Courtis, having been allowed to retire on full pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September, 1854, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

*Northumberland Regiment of Light Infantry
Militia.*

William Potts to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th June, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester.

1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

Ensign Charles Eldon Clarke to be Lieutenant, vice Saunders, promoted. Dated 30th May, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 8,
 1856.

Master of the Horse's Office,
July 1, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable William-Ulick O'Connor Cuffe (commonly called Viscount Castle-Cuffe), to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice Cameron.

Whitehall, July 2, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto George-Digby Wingfield, of Sherborne Castle, in the county of Dorset, Esquire, eldest son and heir apparent of William Baker (heretofore William Wingfield), of Orsett Hall, in the county of Essex, and of Eaton-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, one of Her Majesty's Counsel, and late one of the Masters in Ordinary in the High Court of Chancery, by the Lady Charlotte-Maria, his first wife, only daughter of whom there is issue remaining of Henry, Earl of Digby, Viscount Coleshill, and Baron Digby, deceased, and sister of Edward, Earl of Digby, Viscount Coleshill, and Baron Digby, also deceased, Her Majesty's royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last will and testament of his late maternal uncle, the said Edward, Earl of Digby, assume and take the surname of Digby, in addition to, and after that of, Wingfield, and also bear the arms of Digby,

and that such surname of Digby and the arms of Digby may, in like manner, be taken, used, and borne by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 7, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, regulating as follows the duties upon sugars imported from the French colonies :

Of the first and inferior samples—

From beyond the Cape of Good Hope, 42 francs.

From America, 45 francs.

Superior to first sample, per 100 kilos., 3 francs additional.

Refined, per 100 kilos., 10 francs additional to duty on first sample.

For the present, however, these duties will be reduced in the following proportion :

1st.—7 francs per 100 kilos., from 27th March, 1856, to 30th June, 1858.

2ndly.—5 francs per 100 kilos., from 1st July, 1858, to 30th June, 1859.

3rdly.—3 francs per 100 kilos., from 1st July, 1859, to 30th June, 1860.

The import duties paid upon sugars of a quality inferior or equal to the first sample will be returned upon the exportation of refined sugar in the following proportions for sugar imported directly, in French ships, from countries out of Europe, upon the production of a receipt, of not more than four months' date, of payment of the import duties :

Qualities of Sugars.		Quantity exported.	Amount of Drawback.
Specified in Receipt.	Exported.		
Sugar equal or inferior to No. 1 sample ... {	Crystallized sugar, entirely purified and whitened Sugar candy, dry and trans- parent White lump and loaf sugar	75 kilos. } 75 kilos. } 78 kilos. }	The whole duty paid upon 100 kilos. of sugar, equal or inferior to No. 1 sample, ac- cording to the place of production.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 8, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga, reporting that a quarantine of three days will be imposed on all vessels arriving at that port from Gibraltar, Marseilles, and Genoa.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 8, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga, reporting that all vessels arriving from ports in the United Kingdom will be subjected to a quarantine of three days, unless provided, in addition to the ordinary bill of health, with a certificate from the Spanish Consul at the port of departure, declaring that all due sanitary precautions are enforced at such port.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
8th July, 1856.*

GENERAL ORDER.

The Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has much gratification in publishing to the Army the commands of the Queen, for the promotion of the following Officers, for their distinguished services during the late war, namely :

Lieutenant-General Sir John Burgoyne, Bart.,
G.C.B., of the Royal Engineers, to be promoted

to the Rank of General, the Commission to bear date 5th September, 1855.

Major-General Sir Richard England, G.C.B., and Major-General Sir Colin Campbell, G.C.B., to be Lieutenant-Generals, their Commissions to bear date 4th June, 1856.

By command of the Right Honourable Field-Marshal VISCOUNT HARDINGE,
Commanding-in-Chief.

(Signed) G. A. WETHERALL,
Adjutant-General.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Burgoyne, Bart., G.C.B., of the Royal Engineers, to be General. Dated 5th September, 1855.

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Sir Richard England, G.C.B.
Dated 4th June, 1856.

Major-General Sir Colin Campbell, G.C.B.
Dated 4th June, 1856.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

8th July, 1856.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Henry Thomas Richardson has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 8th July, 1856.

1st Dragoons, Richard Reynolds Peyton, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Johnson, who retires. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Augustus Frederick Foley to be Major, without purchase, vice Major and Brevet-Colonel James Robertson Craufurd, promoted to be Major-General. Dated 8th July, 1856.

- 2nd Regiment of Foot**, Gentleman Cadet Francis Roach Gubbins, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 5th Foot**, Gentleman Cadet Edward Hoare, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July 1856.
- 6th Foot**, Lieutenant Charles Whyte, from the North Down Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 8th Foot**, Lieutenant Robert Bradshaw Moorhead, from the North Down Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 10th Foot**, Lieutenant John Ball, from the Donegal Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 11th Foot**, Gentleman Cadet John Anthony Miers, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 12th Foot**. First Lieutenant Reuben Frederick Magor, from the Cornwall Militia Artillery, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 15th Foot**, Gentleman Cadet Charles Edmund Layard, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 16th Foot**, Lieutenant James Brabazon, from the Louth Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase

(Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

22nd Foot, Captain David Anderson to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Thackwell, who retires upon half pay Unattached. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Captain Trevor Goff, from 45th Foot, to be Captain, vice Stack, who exchanges. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Laurence N. D. Hammond to be Captain, by purchase, vice Anderson. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Ensign Thomas Smith Robin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hammond. Dated 8th July, 1856.

James St. George Armstrong, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Robin. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Herbert Charles Patton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 9th July, 1856.

23rd Foot, Lieutenant Frederick William Jebb to be Captain, without purchase, vice Drewe, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant, 6th October, 1854. Dated 8th July, 1856.

For Captain S. Falkiner, from half-pay, Unattached, to be Captain, vice Tritton, who exchanges, which appeared in the Gazette of 29th June, 1855.

Read * * * vice Tritton, appointed to a Depot Battalion.

24th Foot, Ensign John Johnstone, from the 2nd Lanark Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

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- 25th Foot**, Lieutenant John Stubbs, from the Shropshire Militia to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 26th Foot**, Ensign George Philip Fawkes, from the 4th Middlesex Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 29th Foot**, Lieutenant Alfred Godfrey Black, from the Leicester Militia, to be Ensign, by purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 32nd Foot**, Ensign James Wolfe Charlton, from the Meath Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 35th Foot**, First Lieutenant Thomas Broun, from the Forfar Militia Artillery, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 36th Foot**, Lieutenant Thomas Hill Lucas, from the 1st Somerset Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 37th Foot**, Gentleman Cadet Francis Charteris Forbes, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 40th Foot**, Lieutenant Thomas Evans Stuart, from the Londonderry Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.
- 45th Foot**, Captain Thomas Stack, from the 22nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Goff, who exchanges. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Blakeney Hayward, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

50th Foot, Lieutenant C. Mills, from 98th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lewes, who exchanges. Dated 8th July, 1856.

51st Foot, Gentleman Cadet Thomas McGoun, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

52nd Foot, Lieutenant Richard Wingfield, from the Queen's County Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

53rd Foot, Ensign Charles Bagnall, from the 2nd Warwick Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

54th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Matthew William Edward Gossett to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

58th Foot, Lieutenant James Pringle, from the Edinburgh Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, to complete the Establishment. Dated 8th July, 1856.

59th Foot, Lieutenant Gerald FitzGibbon, from the Dublin City Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

60th Foot, Ensign John Walker King, from the Kildare Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

65th Foot, Ensign Andrew Pagan, from the 1st Lanark Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

66th Foot, Ensign Edward Richardson, from the Fermanagh Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

67th Foot, Ensign Edward Coxen to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Jones, deceased. Dated 1st June, 1856.

Ensign George Thomson, from the 1st Lanarkshire Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Coxen. Dated 8th July, 1856.

69th Foot, Ensign Edward Williams, from the Radnor Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

70th Foot, Second Lieutenant George Aislabie Hilton, from the Lancashire Militia Artillery, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

73rd Foot, Gentleman Cadet Hastings D'Oyly Farrington, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

74th Foot, Ensign Abel Straghan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice McFarlan, promoted, by purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Robert Elphinstone Deare, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Straghan. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Augustus Daniel Keane, from the 4th Middlesex Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 9th July, 1856.

76th Foot, Ensign **Edward Harding**, from the Limerick Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

78th Foot, Lieutenant **William Thomson**, from the South Down Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

80th Foot, Gentleman Cadet **Dudley Beaumont**, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

84th Foot, Lieutenant **Egbert Charles S. Hely**, from the 1st Surrey Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

85th Foot, Gentleman Cadet **George Henry Stace**, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

86th Foot, Lieutenant **George Fowler**, from the South Gloucester Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

87th Foot, Lieutenant **Frederick Flood Devereux**, from the Galway Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

91st Foot, Lieutenant **Edward Kelly Obbard**, from the London Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

94th Foot, Lieutenant William Fermor Godfrey, from the Kerry Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

96th Foot, Major Edward W. Scovell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Cumberland, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Captain Edward Croker to be Major, without purchase, vice Scovell. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Lieutenant E. D. J. MacCarthy to be Captain, without purchase, vice Croker. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Ensign John T. French to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice MacCarthy. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Ensign Albert Jackson Harcourt, from the Bedford Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice French. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Lionel Smith, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 9th July, 1856.

98th Foot, Lieutenant George Thomas West, from the 1st or East Middlesex Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

Lieutenant W. L. Lewes, from 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Mills, who exchanges. Dated 8th July, 1856.

99th Foot, Lieutenant Martin Joseph Browne, from the 2nd Stafford Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment). Dated 8th July, 1856.

Gold Coast Corps, Lieutenant James Trevor W. Andrews to be Adjutant, vice Duke, who

resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 8th July, 1856.

BRITISH GERMAN LEGION.

The following Officers have been struck off the strength of the British German Legion :

3rd Jäger Corps, Captain Gabriel de Korponay.

Dated 28th May, 1856.

Captain Ignace Ziemecki. Dated 11th June, 1856.

Captain Pulsudski. Dated 10th February, 1856.

6th Light Infantry, Captain Michael Thumser (invalided by Medical Board). Dated 23rd June, 1856.

BRITISH SWISS LEGION

2nd Light Infantry, Lieutenant Eusebe Tricano to be Adjutant of the 1st Battalion, vice Solioz, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 31st May, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major George Mein, half-pay Unattached (Brigade-Major at York), to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, as a special case. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Brevet-Major Francis Edward Drewe, 23rd Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry FitzGerald, from the 87th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 8th July, 1856.

STAFF.

Captain Bernard Morgan, from the 77th Foot, to be Town Adjutant at Gibraltar, vice Hume, appointed Garrison Quartermaster. Dated 8th July, 1856,

HOSPITAL STAFF.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

John Grant. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Henry Edwards. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Peter Allen, M.D. Dated 8th July, 1856.

William Harry Cooke. Dated 8th July, 1856.

John Munday. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Eugene Francis O'Leary. Dated 8th July, 1856.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel C. Brownlow Cumberland, retired full-pay, 96th Foot, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Crompton, on retired full-pay, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st July, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Robert Bateman (Major on half-pay Unattached) has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of a Majority. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Admiralty, 5th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Captain John George Augustus Ayles to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Courtis, retired.

First Lieutenant William Pitt Draffen to be Captain, vice Ayles, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William Henry Wroot to be First Lieutenant, vice Draffen, promoted.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
Tower Hamlets.*

Joseph Turnley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 1st June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Gloucester, and of the City and
County of the City of Gloucester, and of the
City and County of the City of Bristol.*

*Royal South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment
of Militia.*

John Pitt Bontein, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice
Crofts, resigned. Dated 4th July, 1856.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the reduction of the National Debt, that there was no surplus of actual revenue over the actual expenditure of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for the year ended the 31st day of March 1856 :

The Commissioners for the reduction of the National Debt, hereby give notice, that no sum will be applied by them on account of the Sinking Fund, under the provisions of the Act, 10 Geo. IV., cap. 27, between the 1st day of July, 1856, and the 30th day of September, 1856.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.
National Debt Office, 5th July, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 11,
1856.

Foreign-Office, May 29, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Fiott Hughes, Esquire, now attached to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Erzeroom.

Foreign-Office, July 4, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Batten Hillier, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Bangkok, in Siam.

Foreign-Office, July 11, 1856.

Whereas divers British subjects, who have entered into engagements for employment abroad as railway labourers, miners, engineers, stokers, and firemen, on board steam vessels, and in other capacities (such engagements in general containing no provision for the maintenance of such British subjects, or for furnishing them with the means of returning to this country), have applied to Her Majesty's Consuls in foreign parts for relief as distressed British subjects, and considerable expense has been incurred in relieving such persons, and in sending them back to this country: Notice is hereby given, that for the future all persons who accept engagements for

employment in foreign countries, as such railway labourers, miners, engineers, stokers, and firemen, as aforesaid, or in any other capacity, are not considered by Her Majesty's Government to be entitled to relief as distressed British subjects, or to be sent back to this country at the public expense; and such persons are hereby warned that Her Majesty's Consuls abroad have received orders henceforward not to afford relief in such cases.

Whitehall, July 9, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Bristol, empowering them to elect a Bishop of the see of Gloucester and Bristol, the same being void by the death of Doctor James Henry Monk, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend Charles Baring, M.A., to be by them elected Bishop of the said see.

Whitehall, July 11, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to order a writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for summoning Henry Petty Fitzmaurice, Esq. (commonly called Earl of Shelburne), to the House of Peers, by the style and title of Baron Wycombe, of Chepping Wycombe, in the county of Bucks.

Crown-Office, July 10, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Calne.

Sir William Fenwick Williams, Bart., a Major-General in the Army, in the room of Henry Petty Fitzmaurice (commonly called Earl of Shelburne), who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Manor of Hemp-holme.

Westminster, July 7, 1856.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read ;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to amend an Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her present Majesty relating to Industrial and Provident Societies.

An Act to make further provision for the establishment of savings banks for seamen.

An Act to authorize issues out of the consolidated fund for the redemption of certain annuities charged on branches of the gross revenue.

An Act to continue the Act for the exemption of stock in trade from rating.

An Act to enable the Luton, Dunstable, and Welwyn Junction Railway Company to alter the present authorized junction of their railway with the Leighton Buzzard and Dunstable branch of the London and North Western Railway, and for other purposes.

An Act to enable the Eastern Counties and London and Blackwall Railway Companies to extend the London, Tilbury, and Southend Extension Railway to the London and Blackwall Railway, with branches therefrom, and to authorise certain arrangements with reference thereto, and for other purposes.

An Act to authorize the division of the borough of Middlesbrough into wards, to enable the Local Board of Health of the district of Middlesbrough to purchase gas works, and light the district, and to enlarge the Market-place, to enable the Corporation to establish a public wharf and a passage over the river Tees, to confer other powers on the Local Board and the Corporation, and for other purposes.

An Act for the better supply of the town of Torquay and the neighbourhood thereof with water, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from Yarmouth, to the East Suffolk Railway, in the parish of Haddiscoe, with a branch railway connected therewith, and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating the Scottish Drainage and Improvement Company, and to afford greater facilities for the improvement of land in Scotland.

An Act for making a railway from Lymington, in the county of Southampton, to the London and South Western Railway at Brockenhurst, in the same county, to be called the "Lymington Rail-

way," with a landing place at Lymington aforesaid, and for other purposes.

An Act to repeal the Acts relating to the Brough and Eamont Bridge Turnpike-road, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

An Act to renew the term and continue, amend, and enlarge the powers of an Act passed in the third year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act for repairing and amending the roads from Donington High Bridge to Hale Drove, and to the eighth milestone in the parish of Wigtoft, and to Langret Ferry, in the county of Lincoln."

An Act for supplying with water the inhabitants of Clay Cross and the neighbourhood, in the county of Derby.

An Act for making a railway from Sittingbourne to Sheerness, all in the county of Kent, and for other purposes.

An Act to sanction a supply of water to the town and neighbourhood of Leeds from the River Wharfe.

An Act to attach further advantages to certain portions of the capital of the Eastern Union Railway Company.

An Act to repeal "An Act for amending and maintaining the turnpike-road from Bawtry, through the town of Tinsley, to the road from Rotherham to Sheffield, in the West Riding of the county of York," and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

An Act for continuing the term and amending and extending the provisions of the Act relating to the Godley Lane Turnpike-road, in the West Riding of the county of York.

Council-Office, Whitehall, July 9, 1856.

Her Majesty has been pleased, by her Order in Council of the 24th June last, to grant to John Lee, of Brunswick-street, Southwark, a prolongation for the term of five years of certain letters patent for "improvements in wheels and axle trees to be used in railways, and in machinery for stopping on or preventing such carriages from running off railways, which improvements might also be applied to other carriages and machinery," so far as the same letters patent relate to railway breaks only, such letters patent having been originally granted to the said John Lee, and bearing date the 3rd August, 1842, for England, Wales, and the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 10, 1856.*

With reference to the notice contained in the Gazette of the 4th instant, of a French Imperial Decree, fixing certain duties upon the importation into France of cotton and woollen goods, wearing apparel, and products arising from the decomposition of salt, the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations hereby give notice, that the Decree in question should have been described as a Draft Decree, modifying the proposed law for the removal of prohibitions in the French tariff.

Their Lordships have since received intelligence through Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that the consideration of this proposed law has been deferred until the next session of the French Chambers.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 11, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received a communication from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, stating that in consequence of the pulmonary epidemic prevailing amongst horned cattle in several of the German States, the importation of such cattle into the duchies of Lauenburg and Holstein will not be permitted unless on the production of an official certificate stating the place from which the cattle are brought, and that no epidemic of a pulmonary nature has appeared there for more than six months.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 11, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, permitting the importation of raw wool through the Custom-house at Verrières-de-Joux (Doubs). Also copy of a Decree adding tow of hemp and flax, intended for the manufacture of sail-cloth, to the list of articles allowed to be imported free of duty.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
11th July, 1856.*

11th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General William George Cochrane to be Colonel, vice General Sir John Wilson, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 23rd June, 1856.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

11th July, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Henry Miles Stapylton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Walker, who retires. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Cornet P. Alexander Watson Carnegy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stapylton. Dated 11th July, 1856.

6th Dragoon Guards, Cornet John Grainger, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, without purchase. Dated 11th July, 1856.

1st Dragoons, Probationary Veterinary Surgeon Evander Chambers to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Cherry, deceased. Dated 8th March, 1856.

9th Light Dragoons, John Grainger, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Goldie, promoted. Dated 11th July, 1856.

13th Light Dragoons, Cornet Francis Levison Michael has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Francis Levison Michael, Gent., to be Riding Master. Dated 11th July, 1856.

*Royal Regiment of Artillery.**Gentlemen Cadets to be Lieutenants.*

William Michael Tollner. Dated 7th April, 1856.

George Birtie Benjamin Hobart. Dated 7th April, 1856.

Harry Adair Tracey. Dated 7th July, 1856.

William Strahan. Dated 7th April, 1856.

Alexander Macdonell Bonar. Dated 7th April, 1856.

Henry John Francis Shea. Dated 7th April, 1856.

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Horace Hervey Webber. Dated 21st June, 1856.
Wentworth Henry King-Harman. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Thomas Strong Seccombe. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Robert David Dewar Hay. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Joseph Charles Smyth-Windham. Dated 21st June, 1856.

William Bruce Raikes Hall. Dated 21st June, 1856.

William Thomas Budgen. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Edward Broadrick. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Edward Hovell Thurlow. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Richard Monsby. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Honourable Alexander Stewart. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Royal Engineers.

Gentlemen Cadets to be Lieutenants.

Ferdinal Beckwith Maingay. Dated 21st June, 1856.

George William Vansittart Yule. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Henry Frederick Chapman Lewin. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Arthur George Durnford. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Montague Lambert. Dated 21st June, 1856.

24th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Francis Freeman White to be Paymaster, vice Geneste, deceased. Dated 11th July, 1856.

29th Foot. The appointment of Mr. A. G. Black to an Ensigncy, which appeared in the Gazette of the 8th instant, was *without purchase*, and not *by purchase*, as therein stated.

30th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Raphael Woolman Read to be Surgeon, vice Dowse, who exchanges. Dated 11th July, 1856.

32nd Foot, Ensign James Clery, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Tharp Clarke, who has retired. Dated 11th July, 1856.

40th Foot. The appointment of Lieutenant Thomas Evans Stuart, from the Londonderry Militia, to an Ensigncy, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment), on the 8th instant, has been cancelled.

52nd Foot, Major Charles J. Conway Mills to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Hughes, who retires upon full pay. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Denison to be Major, without purchase, vice Mills. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Frederick Albert Champion to be Captain, without purchase, vice Denison. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Ensign Richard Davies Burroughs to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Champion. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Ensign James Hill Bradshaw to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fraser, whose promotion by purchase, on the 18th April, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 11th July, 1856.

60th Foot, Captain Francis Dawson to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 29th June, 1856.

92nd Foot, Lieutenant William Farquharson has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 11th July, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant H. H. Steward, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bovill, promoted. Dated 11th July, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon Richard Robert Dowse, from the 30th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Read, who exchanges. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon George Burnside Bryden has ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for his services. Dated 25th June, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon William Randall Mackley has ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for his services. Dated 11th July, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed three years' actual service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be promoted to the rank of Colonel in the Army, under the provisions of the Royal Warrants dated 6th October and 3rd November, 1854 :

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert George Hughes, 52nd Foot. Dated 31st October, 1855.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Hill, of the Royal Artillery. Dated 21st June, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

The Commission of Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel S. T. Christie, of the 80th Foot, to be antedated to the 9th December, 1853.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshire.

William Frederick Webb, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Edward Campbell Stuart Cole, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Frederick Ulric Graham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th July, 1856.

The Right Honourable Gamel Augustus Pennington, Lord Muncaster, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Counties of Westmorland and Cumberland.

Westmorland and Cumberland Corps of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Philip Musgrave, Esq., to be Captain, vice Graham, resigned. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Assistant-Surgeon Edgar Lowe to be Surgeon, vice Shirley, resigned.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 15,
 1856.

Buckingham Palace, July 11, 1856.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty;

His Royal Highness The Prince Oscar of Sweden, to take leave.

His Royal Highness was attended by the Baron Hochschild, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway at the Court of Her Majesty :

To which audience His Royal Highness was introduced by the Earl of Clarendon, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Major-General the Honourable Sir Edward Cust, K.C.H., Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies.

CHAPTER of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.—**ELECTION** and **INVESTITURE** of **EARL FORTESCUE** and **VISCOUNT PALMERSTON**.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, July 12, 1856.

A **CHAPTER** of the Most Noble Order of the Garter having been summoned for this day, the Knights Companions hereinafter named, in their mantles and collars, assembled in the Green Drawing-room, viz. :

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge,

the Marquess of Exeter, the Duke of Richmond, the Duke of Buccleuch, the Marquess of Lansdowne, the Marquess of Salisbury, the Duke of Cleveland, Earl de Grey, the Marquess of Abercorn, the Marquess Camden, the Earl of Clarendon, Earl Fitzwilliam, the Earl of Ellesmere, and the Earl of Aberdeen, attended by the Officers of the Order:—The Lord Bishop of Winchester, Prelate; the Lord Bishop of Oxford, Chancellor; the Honourable and Reverend Gerald Wellesley, Dean of Windsor, Register; Sir Charles George Young, Knight, Garter; and Sir Augustus James William Clifford, Baronet, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

At three o'clock the Knights Companions were called over by Garter, when (Her Majesty and His Royal Highness Prince Albert having passed into the Chapter Room), they proceeded, with the Officers of the Order, into the presence of the Sovereign.

The Sovereign being seated in her Chair of State, and His Royal Highness Prince Albert at the table on the right hand of Her Majesty, the other Knights Companions took their respective places at the table; the Prelate standing on the right hand of the Sovereign, the Chancellor on the left hand; the Register, Garter, and Black Rod, at the bottom of the table.

The Chancellor then signified to the Chapter Her Majesty's royal will and pleasure, that the two vacant Stalls in the Royal Chapel of Saint George, at Windsor, be filled; and as, by the Statutes, none but a Knight can be elected, the Right Honourable Hugh, Earl Fortescue, was introduced by Garter and Black Rod, and knighted by Her Majesty with the sword of state; and his Lordship, having kissed the Sovereign's hand, retired.

The Knights Companions then proceeded to the

election, and the suffrages having been collected by the Chancellor, were by him presented to the Sovereign, who commanded him to declare, and he accordingly declared, that the Right Honourable Hugh, Earl Fortescue, had been duly elected a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

Then, by the Sovereign's command, his Lordship was received at the door of the Chapter-room by the Earls of Ellesmere and Aberdeen, the two junior Knights Companions, and conducted between them to Her Majesty, preceded by Garter (bearing the ensigns of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion), and by Black Rod.

Earl Fortescue, kneeling near the Sovereign, Garter, on his knee, presented the Garter, and Her Majesty, assisted by His Royal Highness Prince Albert and His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, the two senior Knights Companions present, buckled it on his Lordship's left leg, the Chancellor pronouncing the usual admonition.

Garter next, in like manner, presented the Ribband and George, and Her Majesty, assisted as before, put the same over his Lordship's left shoulder, the Chancellor pronouncing the admonition ; the Earl then again kissed Her Majesty's hand, and having received the congratulations of each of the Knights Companions, retired.

The Chapter then proceeded to a second election, and the suffrages having been collected by the Chancellor, were presented to the Sovereign, when the Right Honourable Henry John, Viscount Palmerston, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, was, by Her Majesty's command, declared duly elected, and his Lordship was introduced and invested with the Garter and the Ribband and George, with the like ceremonies.

The Chapter being ended, Garter, by Her Ma-

jesty's command, again called over the Knights Companions, who, with the Officers of the Order, retired from the presence of the Sovereign with the usual reverences.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, July 12, 1856.

The Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased, by letters patent under Her royal sign manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installations, and to grant unto the Right Honourable Hugh, Earl Fortescue, and the Right Honourable Henry John, Viscount Palmerston, Knights of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if they had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Foreign-Office, July 4, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alexander Fraser, Esq., now British Consular Agent at Batavia, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Batavia.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Bonhote, Esq., now British Consular Agent at Sourabaya, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Sourabaya.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Donald MacLaine, Esq., now British Consular Agent at Samarang, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Samarang.

Downing-Street, July 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased, by licence, dated 20th February, 1856, to grant to John Ord, of Litherland, near Liverpool, late Master Mariner, Joseph Hindson and James Henshaw Hayes, of Liverpool, Merchants and Brokers, their executors, administrators, and assigns, the sole and exclusive right, for the term of five years from the date of such licence, to raise and take away guano and other substances capable of being used in manuring land, from the three Islands of Jibleea, Haskie and Ghurzoad, in or near the bay of Kooria Mooraa, on the south coast of Arabia, and to construct all such works or buildings as may be necessary for that purpose, which said Islands (with the Islands of Halaanee and Soda) were formerly part of the dominions of the Imaum of Muscat, and were by His Highness ceded to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors in full property and dominion.

Downing-Street, July 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Trounwell Gilbert, Esq., to be Solicitor-General for the colony of British Guiana, and Henry Tudor Davies, Esq., to be Chief Magistrate for the colony of Hong Kong.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 14, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of

a French Imperial Decree, authorizing the establishment of a dépôt for native sugar at Havre.

Also copy of a Notification to the effect that machinery intended for the manufacture of drainage pipes will be admitted into France at the duty of 15 francs per 100 kilos. ; machinery for the purpose of crushing or preparing the material for the tiles, or all other accessory machines imported singly, not being complete in itself for the manufacture of drainage pipes, will continue to pay the import duty applicable to machines other than steam-engines, not specified.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

15th July, 1856.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Cuthbert George Ellison to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice the Honourable A. F. Foley, promoted. Dated 8th July, 1856.

Admiralty, 9th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

BREVET.

Captain Nicholas Moore having been allowed to retire on full pay, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September, 1854, to be Major, the rank being honorary only.

Admiralty, 10th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant William James Kinsman to be Captain, vice Moore, retired.

Second Lieutenant Charles Durham Hocart Robilliard to be First Lieutenant, vice Kinsman, promoted.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Forfar.

Forfarshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas George Bowes-Lyon, Earl of Strathmore, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd May, 1856.

The Honourable Claude Bowes-Lyon, late Lieutenant 2nd Life Guards, to be Captain. Dated 2nd May, 1856.

David Graham-Drummond Ogilvy, Earl of Airlie, to be Captain. Dated 3rd May, 1856.

Sir Thomas Munro, Bart., late Captain 10th Hussars, to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1856.

William Henry Kennedy Erskine, late Captain 17th Lancers, to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th May, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

2nd Regiment of Royal Bucks Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Maberly, Gent., to be Cornet.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 15,
1856.

War-Department, 15th July, 1856.

LIEUTENANT-GENERAL His Royal Highness George William Frederick Charles, Duke of Cambridge, K.G., K.P., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., to be General in the Army. Dated 15th July, 1856.

Horse Guards, 15th July, 1856.

His Royal Highness the General Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint Major-General Sir Charles Yorke, K.C.B., to be his Military Secretary.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 18,
1856.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *June*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the time for the

discontinuance of burials in the undermentioned churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Independent and Wesleyan Chapels, ALTON, Hants, from the first of June to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the burial-ground of the Baptist Chapel, ASHFORD, Kent, from the first of September next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, provided that only one body be buried in each grave, that no grave be re-opened, and that every grave be made six feet deep at the least; in the parish churchyard of AYLISHAM, from the first of June to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard of St. Peter, BENGWORTH, from the first of June to the twenty-ninth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of the parish of BERKELEY, from the fifth of May to the fifth of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard of BERWICK-UPON-TWEED, from the thirtieth of June to the thirty-first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard of BOLTON, in the county of Lancaster, and in the churchyards of St. George, the Holy Trinity, All Saints, Christ Church, and Emmanuel Church, and in the burial-grounds of the following chapels, namely the Baptist Chapel Moor-lane, the Wesleyan Chapel Bridge-street, the Wesleyan Chapel Fletcher-street, the Roman Catholic Chapel St. Peter and St. Paul Pilkington-street, the Independent Chapel Mawdsley-street, Albert-place Chapel, the Independent Methodist

Chapel Fold's-road, the Primitive Methodist Chapel Higher Bridge-street, the Unitarian Chapel Deansgate, and the Refugee Chapel Hanover-street, in the Ridgway Gates Wesleyan Burial-ground, and in the Quakers' Burial-ground, all in the said borough of Bolton, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of BOWNESS-ON-WINDERMERE, from the first of May to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard of BRADFORD, in the county of Wilts, and in the burial-grounds of the Baptist Chapel, Zion Chapel, the Wesleyan Chapel, Lady Huntingdon's Chapel Bearfield, and of the Independent or Congregational Chapel, all in that town, from the first of July to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan and Baptist Chapels, in the parish of BRAINTREE, Essex, from the first of June to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of CHEPSTOW, from the twenty-fifth of March last to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard of CHORLEY, and in the burial-grounds of George-street Independent Chapel, of the Wesleyan Chapel, Park-road, and of Hollinshead-street Chapel, in that parish, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Baptist and Independent Chapels, and of the Friends' Meeting-house, COGGESHALL, Essex, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand

eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of **St. COLOMB MAJOR**, from the first of July to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, provided that burials be confined to the new portion of the churchyard, and that only one body be buried in each grave; in the churchyard of the parish of **CULLOMPTON**, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the Upper Churchyard of **DARTFORD**, Kent, from the twenty-fourth of June to the twenty-ninth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of the parish of **St. Thomas the Apostle, EXETER**, from the first of July to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of the parish of **FOWEY**, from the first of June to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the burial-ground of **GREENWICH HOSPITAL**, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the parish churchyard, and in the Wesleyan Chapel Burial - ground, **HACKFORD - NEXT - REEPHAM**, from the first of June to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Independent, Baptist, and Primitive Methodist Chapels, **HADLEIGH**, Suffolk, from the first of June to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in **St. Luke's Churchyard, HERWOOD**, and in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan Chapel, Market-street, of the Wesleyan Methodist Association, of the Baptist Chapel, of the New Jerusalem Chapel, and of the Independent Chapel, all in **Heywood**, in the parish of **Bury**, Lancashire, from

the first of June to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of the parish of **HITCHIN**, Herts, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the old burial-ground of **HYTHE**, Kent, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard and new burial-ground of **LEIGH**, Lancashire, in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan and Roman Catholic Chapels, in the township of Bedford, and in the burial-grounds of the Primitive Methodist, Bethesda, and Wesleyan Chapels, in the township of Pennington, all in the parish of Leigh, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in All Saints Churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the General Baptist Chapel, Woodgate, of the Roman Catholic Chapel, of the Baptist Chapel Sparrow-hill, and of the Independent Chapel, all in **LOUGHBOROUGH**, from the first of October next to the first of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyard of St. Michael, **MERE**, Wilts, from the first of June to the twenty-fifth of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of **MIDSOMER NORTON**, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, provided that (except in vaults and walled graves) burials be confined to the portion of the ground, which has hitherto been unused ; in the churchyard of St. Mary **PENZANCE**, from the first of May to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard of **REEPHAM**, Norfolk, from the first of June to the first of July, one thou-

sand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard, and in Independent Chapel Burial-ground, REIGATE, from the first of June instant to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the parish churchyard, and in Ebenezer Chapel Burial-ground, Mill End, RICKMANSWORTH, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard of ROMSEY, Hants, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Independent Chapel, London-Road Chapel, Upper Meeting Chapel, and of the Unitarian General Baptist Chapel, in the parish of SAFFRON WALDEN, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the existing burial-grounds of the parishes of St. Thomas, St. Edmund, and St. Martin, SALISBURY, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the Holy Trinity Churchyard, SOUTH SHIELDS, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, on condition that no new grave be opened to a less depth than five feet, and no remains disturbed, and that in the use of vaults and brick graves each coffin be imbedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner ; in the churchyard of the parish of NEW SLEAFORD, from the first of June to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of the parish of STOW-ON-THE-WOLD, from the first of July to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of St.

Margaret, and in the Unitarian, Wesleyan, and Independent Burial-grounds, TOPSHAM, from the first of July to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard, in the burial-ground of the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, and in Brook-street Burial-ground, TOTTENHAM, from the first of July next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard of St. Matthew, and in the parochial burial-ground in Bath-street, WALSALL, from the first of June to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard of NORTH WALSHAM, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard and in the Baptist Chapel burial-ground, in the parish of WALTHAM ABBEY, from the first of July to the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the new parish burial-ground, and in Bechen Chapel Burial-ground, in the parish of WATFORD, Herts. from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyards of All Saints and St. Catherine, WIGAN, and in the burial-grounds attached to the Independent Chapel, Standishgate, to the Presbyterian Chapel, to St. Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel, Standishgate, to Lord-street Chapel, and to St. John's Roman Catholic Chapel, Standishgate, in the said borough, from the first of June to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

Foreign-Office, July 4, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Francis Stevens, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Trebizonde, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Trebizonde.

Foreign-Office, July 8, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Herman Lorentz, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Wiborg.

Foreign-Office, July 16, 1856

The Queen has been pleased to appoint General the Earl of Westmorland, G.C.B., to bear Her Majesty's congratulations to the King of the Belgians on the twenty-fifth anniversary of His Accession to the Throne of Belgium.

Foreign-Office, July 18, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Casimir Louis Alfred Bruant, as Consul at Edinburgh, and of Mr. Jules Joseph Fleury, as Consul at Liverpool, for His Majesty the Emperor of the French.

Downing-Street, July 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to erect the district of Natal, in South Africa, into a separate colony, to be called "The Colony of Natal," and to appoint John Scott, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Governor of the said colony.

Downing-Street, July, 16, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Kenny, Esq., to be the Senior Member of the Legislative Council of the Province of Nova Scotia; George Webbe Daniell, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of the Island of Nevis; and Richard Pine, Esq., to be Queen's Advocate and Police Magistrate for Her Majesty's Settlements in the River Gambia.

Westminster, July 14, 1856.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for raising the sum of four millions by Exchequer Bills and Exchequer Bonds, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

An Act to exempt imprisonments under the Act 5 Geo. 4, c. 96, from the operation of the Act abolishing in Scotland imprisonment for civil debts of small amount.

An Act for the incorporation and regulation of Joint Stock Companies and other Associations.

An Act for amending the procedure before magistrates and Justices of Peace in Scotland.

An Act to permit the use of rice in the distillation of spirits.

An Act for confirming a scheme of the Charity Commissioners for Saint Mary Magdalen Hospital, near Bath.

An Act for confirming a scheme of the Charity Commissioners for the Endowed School at Moulton, in the county of Lincoln.

An Act to facilitate the despatch of business before grand juries in England and Wales.

An Act to continue certain Turnpike Acts in Great Britain.

An Act to enable parishioners and others, forming a numerous class, to sell advowsons held by or in trust for them, and to apply the proceeds in providing parsonage houses, augmenting small livings, and to other beneficial purposes; and for giving other powers to such persons.

An Act to suspend the making of lists and the ballots for the militia of the United Kingdom.

An Act for authorizing traffic arrangements between the West End of London and Crystal Palace and the London, Brighton, and South Coast Railway Companies, the regulation and increase of capital, and for other purposes.

An Act to afford facilities to the Bagenalstown and Wexford Railway Company, for raising the funds necessary to enable them to execute their undertaking, and for other purposes.

An Act for more effectually repairing several roads leading to and from the town of Monmouth, and for making several lines of road to communicate therewith, in the counties of Monmouth, Gloucester, and Hereford.

An Act for the improvement of part of the district of St. Peter Bournemouth, in the parishes

of Christchurch and Holdenhurst, in the county of Southampton, and for providing a pier there.

An Act to enable the Morayshire Railway Company to construct a railway from Orton to Craigellachie, and for other purposes.

An Act for carrying into effect certain arrangements between the Trustees of the Renfrewshire Turnpike Roads, and the Lord Provost, Magistrates and Council, and Police and Statute Labour Committee of Glasgow; and for continuing in other respects the Acts relating to the said roads.

An Act to repeal the Act relating to the turnpike roads from Halifax to Huddersfield, in the West Riding of the county of York, and to grant a further term in the said roads, and further powers for the management thereof, and other purposes.

An Act for better supplying with water the city of Edinburgh, and town and port of Leith, and places adjacent.

An Act for incorporating the Salisbury Railway and Market-house Company, for authorizing them to make and maintain a railway and a market-house at Salisbury, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from the Stocksfield Station of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Carlisle Railway to the Stockton and Darlington Railway, near Conside Iron-Works, with a branch to the Derwent Iron Company's Railway, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from the Epsom branch of the London, Brighton and South Coast Railway at Epsom, to Leatherhead.

An Act to enable the Swansea Vale Railway Company to make extension and branch railways, and for other purposes.

An Act to repeal the Act for more effectually making, straightening, repairing, and improving

the roads from near the town of Lewes to Polegate in the parish of Hailsham, and from thence to Eastbourne and to Polegate to Hailsham Common, in the county of Sussex, and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

An Act for making and maintaining a turnpike road from Conway to Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from Dunfermline to Killairnie, with a branch to Kingseat, in the county of Fife, to be called "The West of Fife Mineral Railway."

An Act for making a railway from the town of Maybole to the town and harbour of Girvan, to be called "The Maybole and Girvan Railway."

An Act for making a railway from the South Wales Railway, near Brimspill, in the parish of Awre, to Howbeach Valley, in the forest of Dean, with branches, and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating the Ceylon Railway Company and for other purposes connected therewith.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Radnor.

Thomas Villiers Lister, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th July, 1856.

Arthur Walsh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Lewis Llewelyn Dillwyn, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Capel Clarke Thornhill, Esq., late Captain
23rd Royal Welch Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant,
vice Hammersley, resigned. Dated 7th July,
1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

1st Devon Regiment of Militia.

Major Francis Edward Drewe, late 23rd Foot, to
be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, vice Ho-
nourable John William Fortescue, resigned.
Dated 12th July, 1856.

2nd Devon Regiment of Militia.

Augustus Willoughby Rodd to be Lieutenant,
vice Briggs, appointed to 68th Regiment.
Dated 16th June, 1856.

Henry Swete Archer to be Lieutenant, vice
Hodgkinson, appointed to 72nd Highlanders.
Dated 17th June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and
Liberties thereof.*

City of Edinburgh Regiment of Artillery Militia.

George Roland, junior, Gent., to be Second Lie-
utenant, vice Alexander Tait, promoted. Dated
16th July, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 22,
1856.

Foreign-Office, July 22, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Earl Granville to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary to the Emperor of All the Russias, on the occasion of His Imperial Majesty's Coronation.

War-Department, July 19, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir William Thomas Denison, Knight, R.E., Captain General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the colony of New South Wales, and of Rear-Admiral Charles Elliot, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Trinidad, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Whitehall, July 22, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Sir Allan Napier Macnab, of Dundurn, in the county of Wentworth, Canada West, Knt., and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

St. James's Palace, July 19, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Right Honourable Lord Foley, to appoint Captain Stephen Ryder Dampier one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Marshall, retired.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 19, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary in China, announcing that the duties on the importation of cotton chintzes and prints into Shanghae, have been reduced to 5 per cent. ad valorem.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 21, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, stating that the prohibitions and restrictions upon the importation of Rice from Asia into the Continent of Portugal and the adjacent Islands, have been abolished.

War-Department, Pall-Mall.

22nd July, 1856.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Charles William Duncombe, Gent., to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lord C. W. B. Bruce, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

6th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant James M. Burn Murdoch has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

The first Christian name of Cornet Grainger is Richard.

7th Light Dragoons, Cornet W. S. Carr Standish to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Aytoun, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

9th Light Dragoons, Cornet Edward King to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Steward, promoted in the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

John Evans, Gent., to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Grainger, appointed to the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Royal Artillery. The second Christian name of Lieutenant Hobart, appointed on 7th April, 1856, is *Bertie*, and not *Birtie*, as previously stated.

The surname of the Lieutenant appointed on 21st June, 1856, is *Moresby*, and not *Monsby*, as previously stated.

The appointment of Lieutenant Harry Adair Tracey to bear date 7th April, 1856, instead of 7th July, 1856, as stated in Gazette of 11th instant.

8th Regiment of Foot, Captain Astell Thomas Welsh, from the 80th Foot, to be Captain, vice Woods, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

21st Foot, Lieutenant C. H. T. Bruce de Ruignes, from the 80th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice John Bennett, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

22nd Foot, Captain Herbert George Bowden to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

37th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Thomas Irwin, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Smith, promoted on the Staff. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

40th Foot, Ensign Frederick Dudgeon, from the Monaghan Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase (Supernumerary to the Establishment), vice Stuart, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

54th Foot, Lieutenant Percy G. Botfield Lake to be Captain, by purchase, vice Swetenham, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry Ridout Floyd, from the 81st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Humphreys, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Ensign Thomas Parr to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lake. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Frederick Keppel FitzRoy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Parr. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Lieutenant Thomas Blakiston Houston to be Adjutant, vice Lake, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

The surname of the Ensign appointed on the 8th July, 1856, is *Gosset* and not *Gossett*, as previously stated.

60th Foot, Lieutenant Conyngham Jones to be Captain, without purchase, vice Clapcott, deceased. Dated 6th May, 1856.

Ensign Kennett Gregg Henderson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Jones. Dated 6th May, 1856.

61st Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant John Dowler to be Quartermaster, vice Wall, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

69th Foot, Ensign Edward Marwood Vincent to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Roberts, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Montgomery Williams, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Vincent. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

80th Foot, Captain Richard William Woods, from the 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice Welsh, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Lieutenant John Bennett, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice de Ruvignes, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

81st Foot, Lieutenant William Humphreys, from the 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Floyd, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Ensign Henry Harrison Briscoe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Weir, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 18th April, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

82nd Foot. The Christian names of Lieutenant Budgen are Edward Hugo.

85th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class John William Johnston, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Armstrong, deceased. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

87th Foot, Lieutenant Sackville George Lane Fox, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Fitzgerald, promoted, without purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

STAFF.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Robert Wetherall, Unattached, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General to the Forces serving in Ireland, vice Brevet-Colonel Greaves. Dated 1st September, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Captain John Atkinson, from the 89th Foot, to be Assistant Adjutant. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major the Honourable Somerset John Gough Calthorpe, 8th Light Dragoons, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Staff-Surgeon Richard Edward Fitz-Gibbon to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Robert Winchester Fraser, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 Acting Assistant-Surgeon William Page to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services:—

John Ringland. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 Spencer B. Gibb, M.D. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 Archibald Weir. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 William Fletcher. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 John Robert Cole. Dated 22nd July, 1856.
 Robert Turner. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel Robert George Hughes, retired full pay 52nd Foot, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 11th July, 1856.
 Quartermaster Michael Wall, half-pay of the 61st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of the 17th December, 1855. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in the East India Company's Army, consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Duncan Macleod, Bengal Engineers, 8th June, 1856 :

Major-General George Petre Wymer, C.B., Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 8th June, 1856.

Colonel John Theophilus Lane, C.B., Bengal Artillery, to be Major-General. Dated 8th June, 1856.

The undermentioned Officer of the East India Company's Service, retired upon full pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows :

Major Henry FitzSimons, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd July, 1856.

Admiralty, 11th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines

First Lieutenant Thomas Burton Vandeleur Fitzgerald to be Captain, vice Brooker, deceased.

Admiralty, 18th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to restore Mr. Joshua Rowland Brookes to the rank of First Lieutenant, his Commission to bear date 11th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Alexander Stephenson Fetherstonhaugh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th July, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Edinburgh or Mid-Lothian.*

Royal Mid-Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain the Earl of Dalkeith to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lord Aberdour, promoted to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant. Dated 12th July, 1856.

Captain Robert Balfour Wardlaw Ramsay to be Major, vice Trotter, resigned. Dated 12th July, 1856.

Lord Henry John Douglas Montagu Scott to be Captain, vice Ramsay, promoted. Dated 12th July, 1856.

Lieutenant James Forman to be Captain, vice the Earl of Dalkeith, promoted. Dated 12th July, 1856.

Cornet Peter Maclagan to be Lieutenant, vice Wardrop, resigned. Dated 12th July, 1856.

John Crawford Tait, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Maclagan, promoted. Dated 12th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Worcester.*

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Henry Shirley, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Oldham, promoted.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 25,
1856.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 24th day of *June*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For assigning particular districts

To the consecrated church called Christ Church, situate at Brampton Bierlow, in the parish of Wath-upon-Dearne, in the county and diocese of York, to be named "The District Chapelry of Brampton Bierlow."

To the consecrated church of St. Matthew, situate in the district chapelry of Smethwick, heretofore assigned or taken out of the parish of Harborne, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, to be named "The District Chapelry of Saint Matthew, Smethwick."

Whitehall, July 23, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable James, Baron Wensleydale, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Wensleydale, of Walton, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

Crown-Office, July 23, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Dorchester.

Charles Napier Sturt, of Critchell, in the county of Dorset, Esq., in the room of Henry Gerard Sturt, who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

July 24.

Borough of Frome.

The Honourable William George Boyle, a Major in Her Majesty's Army, in the room of Richard Edmund St. Lawrence Boyle (commonly called Viscount Dungarvon), now Baron Boyle, called up to the House of Peers.

Westminster, July 21, 1856.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for transferring the powers of the Church Building Commissioners to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England.

An Act to constitute the Court of Session the Court of Exchequer in Scotland, and to regulate procedure in matters connected with the Exchequer.

An Act to abolish the jurisdiction of the Court of the liberties and manor of Saint Sepulchre, in and near Dublin, and for the future regulation of certain markets of the said manor.

An Act to amend the laws of Scotland affecting trade and commerce.

An Act to amend the law for the registration of persons entitled to vote in the election of Members to serve in Parliament for burghs in Scotland.

An Act to alter the mode of providing for certain expenses now charged upon certain parts of the public revenue.

An Act to continue an Act for the survey of Great Britain, Berwick-upon-Tweed, and the Isle of Man.

An Act to provide for the maintenance of navigations made in connexion with drainage, and to make further provision in relation to works of drainage in Ireland.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to grand juries in Ireland.

An Act to repeal certain Statutes which are not in use.

An Act to encourage the providing of improved dwellings for the labouring classes in Ireland.

An Act to extinguish certain rights of way and to stop up certain roads and paths near the Camp at Aldershot.

An Act to extend the period for applying for a sale under the Acts for facilitating the sale and transfer of incumbered estates in Ireland, and to amend the said Acts.

An Act to further amend the laws relating to prisons in Ireland.

An Act to render more effectual the police in counties and boroughs in England and Wales.

An Act to amend the constitution of "The London Printing and Publishing Company, Limited."

An Act for enabling the Somerset Central Railway Company to construct a railway from Glastonbury to near Bruton, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from Castle Douglas, by Dalbeattie, to the Glasgow and South-Western Railway at Dumfries, and for other purposes.

An Act for authorizing deviations from the authorized line of the Severn Valley Railway, and for making further provision with respect to shares in the capital of the Severn Valley Railway Company, and for facilitating the completion of their undertaking, and for other purposes.

An Act for establishing and maintaining a ferry and floating bridge between Stokes Bay and Ryde, in the county of Southampton, with landing places and approaches thereto.

An Act to extend the times limited for certain purposes by the Acts relating to the Metropolitan Railway, and to enable the Metropolitan Railway Company to form a Junction with the Great Northern Railway, and for other purposes.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road leading from Wem to the Lime Rocks, at Bronygarth, in the county of Salop, and for making several lines of roads connected with the same, in the counties of Salop and Denbigh.

An Act for making a railway from the town of Nairn to the town of Keith.

An Act to enable the Stirling and Dunfermline Railway Company to create additional shares in their undertaking, and for other purposes.

An Act to amend certain Acts relating to the Luton District Turnpike-road, and make other provisions in lieu thereof.

An Act for continuing the term and amending and extending the provisions of the Act relating to the Cleobury North, and Ditton Priors District, and the Cleobury Mortimer District of Turnpike-roads, in the counties of Salop and Worcester.

An Act for making a railway from the Scottish Central Railway at Dunblane, by Doune, to Callander, to be called "The Dunblane, Doune, and Callander Railway."

An Act for authorizing a lease of the Wimbledon and Croydon Railway, and for authorizing the purchase of additional lands, and the raising of additional capital by the Wimbledon and Croydon Railway Company, and for other purposes.

An Act for granting further powers for lighting, cleansing, sewerage and improving the borough of Leeds, and for other purposes.

An Act for regulating the rates and charges to be taken by the Grand Junction Waterworks Company for a supply of water to parts of the parish of Paddington, and for other purposes.

An Act to grant further powers to the Crystal Palace Company for the raising of capital for the internal management of their undertaking, and with respect to Dulwich Wood.

An Act to consolidate the powers of the Gloucester Gas Light Company to enable them to raise money, and for other purposes.

An Act for the making of a dock and works at Thames Haven, and for other purposes.

An Act for the making by the London and South Western Railway Company of a railway from Yeovil to Exeter, to be called "The Exeter Extension Railway," and for other purposes.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the East Indian Railway Company.

An Act for making a railway from the Taff Vale Railway to the River Ely, in the county of Glamorgan; for converting part of the said river into a tidal harbour, and regulating the access thereto; for authorizing arrangements with the Taff Vale Railway Company; and for other purposes.

An Act for altering the Crewe and Shrewsbury Line of the London and North-Western Railway, for making provision with respect to station accommodation at Shrewsbury, and for other purposes.

An Act to enable the Londonderry and Enniskillen Railway Company to create preference shares, with priority of dividend over all the existing shares of the Company, and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from the authorized line of the West End of London and Crystal Palace Railway (extension to Bromley and Farnborough) at Shortlands, in the parish of Beckenham, in the county of Kent, to Saint Mary Cray, in the same county.

An Act to enable the Oxford, Worcester, and Wolverhampton Railway Company to raise further money for the completion of the broad gauge, and for other purposes; and to convert their mortgage debt into stock.

An Act to repeal an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, intituled "An Act for more effectually amending and keeping in repair the roads from the town of Uttoxeter to the town of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, so far as relates to the Uttoxeter District of the said roads, and for making certain new pieces of road to

communicate therewith, all in the said county of Stafford," and to confer larger and additional powers and provisions in lieu of those therein contained, and for other purposes.

An Act to amend "An Act for draining, em-banking, and improving the fen lands and low grounds within the parishes, hamlets, townships, or places of Bardney, Southrow, otherwise Southry, Tupholme, Bucknall, Horsington, Stixwold, Edlington, and Thimbleby, in the county of Lincoln," and to confer further powers on the Commissioners under such Act, and for other purposes.

Whitehall, July 19, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Sidney Wentworth, of the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Gentleman, only surviving child of William Wentworth, late of the town of Cambridge aforesaid, Gentleman, and grandson of Daniel Wentworth, of the same place, and of Mary his wife, sister of Joseph Stanley, late of the town of Cambridge aforesaid, Surgeon and Apothecary, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of his great uncle, the said Joseph Stanley take and henceforth use the surname of Stanley in lieu and instead of his present surname of Wentworth, and that he and they may bear the arms of Stanley quarterly with those of Wentworth, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

— And also to command that the said royal con-

cession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 24, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, containing a Decree reducing the import duty on iodine and iodite of potassium to five francs per kilogramme.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 24, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Monte Video, inclosing two Notices issued by the Monte Videan Government (translations of which are subjoined), calling the attention of the masters of foreign merchant vessels bound to ports in that Republic, to the necessity of having their papers viséed by the Monte Videan Consul residing at their ports of departure, and to the fines which will be imposed in the event of their neglecting this precaution.

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(Translation.)

Department for Foreign Affairs.

Official Notice.

On the 28th of November, 1850, and 27th of

October, 1852, the following official notices were published. —

Official Notice.

Monte Video, November 28, 1850.

There being repeated complaints from the Consuls of the Republic in foreign parts against the abuse committed by captains of vessels which clear for this port in not bringing their papers endorsed as required by the respective Consuls, the following Articles of the 2nd chapter of the Consular Instructions of the Republic which are still in force, are published for the information of those whom it may concern. "Article 18. The captains of foreign and national vessels which clear at the ports where Consuls of the Republic reside, bound to ports of the Republic, are obliged to have legalized the manifest of the cargo, or ballast, the bill of health and muster roll. In the same provisions are comprised passengers' passports, powers of attorney, sentences, protests, certificates, and other documents which may be available in courts of law. Article 19. The captains who violate the provisions of the foregoing Article shall be subjected to pay the consulate fees which should have been paid at the port from which they departed, and also all other requisitions or penalties determined by the law." Consequently, notice is given that Doctor Don Carlos Eguia has been named and authorized by the Government, under the title of Fiscal Judge, to prosecute all captains of vessels who having departed from ports where Consuls of the Republic reside, do not present their papers in the prescribed form, sentencing them to the penalty as stated, bringing against them all other actions that the case and the existing provisions may require.

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(Translation.)

Department for Foreign Affairs.

Official Notice.

It being necessary to put a stop to the abuses committed by the passengers and masters of vessels that arrive in this Republic from ports where consular agents reside, and having in view the requirements in this respect of the 2nd chapter, 18th and 19th Articles of the Consular Instructions now in force, and with a view to the public interest the government have ordered to be made known: 1st, that the above-mentioned vessels which do not bring their papers duly registered by the oriental consul residing in the port from whence they depart, shall be compelled for the first time to pay the consulate fees which should have been paid there; and should the same be repeated, the same fees, with a corresponding fine, without which requisition no vessel can be despatched in any of the custom-houses of the state: 2nd, that the passengers who do not bring their passports endorsed by the Consul for the Republic in the port from whence they arrive, shall be compelled to pay the amounts of the respective consulate fees, together with a fine of two Spanish dollars each person, without prejudice to their being subjected to the surveillance of the police for a reasonable time.—Monte Video, October 27th, 1852.

As the provisions contained in the above are in complete force, and notwithstanding this, due fulfilment of the same is not given, the government have resolved to give notice to whomsoever it may concern, that from this date the said provisions shall be vigorously put in force, to which end the necessary orders have been issued:—Monte Video, May 6th, 1856.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 24, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, transmitting the enclosed copy of a Decree, permitting the importation of grain, &c., into the Kingdom of Portugal until the 30th of June, 1857.

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(Translation.)

DON PEDRO, by the Grace of God King of Portugal and of the Algarves, do hereby make known to all our subjects that the Cortes have decreed, and we approve of, the following law :

Art. 1st.—From the publication of this present law to the end of June, 1857, the importation of foreign grain, wheat, rye, barley, and oats, in grain, flour, or bread, shall continue to be admitted into all the ports and fiscal stations of the kingdom, for deposit and consumption. The deposits shall be only allowed to be made in Lisbon and Oporto.

The foreign grain above mentioned, conveyed in vessels that may arrive in this country after the 30th June, 1857, shall be admitted according to the dispositions of this article, on proof being given by legal documents that said vessels sailed direct for their ports of destination before the 1st of the above-mentioned month.

Art. 2nd.—Foreign grain, admitted in conformity with the terms of the foregoing article, shall pay without distinction, when entered for consumption, a special duty of 20 reis per 100 lbs.

of grain, and 40 reis for an equal weight of flour or bread. Besides which special duty it shall be subject to the legal imposts as established for the same articles of national produce, according to the respective legislation.

Art. 3rd.—When circumstances may require it, the Government is authorized to include Indian corn in the dispositions of the foregoing article, and may likewise lower the duties on potatoes and all kinds of foreign pulse.

Art. 4th.—In the event of there being a great scarcity of grain, the Government is authorized to act as it may deem necessary regarding the supply of all alimentary articles.

Art. 5th.—The Government shall duly give an account to the Cortes of the use they shall have made of the authority conceded to them by this law.

Art. 6th.—All legislation to the contrary is hereby revoked.

Palace of Necessidades,

3rd July, 1856.

Signed By the KING, and
MARQUEZ DE LONDÉ.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

25th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

Captain William George Hawley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Yolland, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 10th June, 1856.

Captain Andrew Beatty to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Mc Kerlie, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 14th June, 1856.

Second Captain Francis Rawdon Chesney to be Captain, vice Hamley. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain Thomas Andrew Lumsden Murray to be Captain, vice Beatty. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain Herbert Newton Penrice to be Captain, vice Hawkins, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 20th April, 1856.

Second Captain William Lawtie Morrison to be Captain, vice Gosset, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 10th June, 1856.

Brevet-Major Anthony Charles Cooke to be Captain, vice Fowke, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 14th June, 1856.

Lieutenant George Montague Stopford to be Second Captain, vice Chesney. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Lieutenant Edward Bridge to be Second Captain, vice Murray. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Lieutenant Montagu Stopford Whitmore to be Second Captain, vice Penrice. Dated 29th February, 1856.

Lieutenant Howard Crawford Elphinstone to be Second Captain, vice Morrison. Dated 20th April, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Cumberland to be Second Captain, vice Cooke. Dated 10th June, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry Reynolds Luard to be Second Captain, vice Clarke, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 14th June, 1856.

The dates of the promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be altered as follows, viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel S. Freeth. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. McKerlie. Dated 10th June, 1856.

Captain F. Fowke. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Captain C. R. Binney. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Captain F. H. Rich. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain H. R. Pelly. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain R. M. Parsons. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain F. Brine. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Second Captain A. A'C. Fisher. Dated 23rd February, 1856.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Spencer Boxer to be First Lieutenant, vice Knight, to half-pay.

Second Lieutenant William Godfrey Hale to be First Lieutenant, vice Kirwan, deceased.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

John Wilson Patten, Esq., M.P., to be Vice Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1856.

Thomas Barnes, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Royal Wiltshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edward Adolphus Ferdinand, Lord Seymour, to be Cornet, vice Miles, promoted. Dated 18th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Caithness.*

*96th Regiment of British Militia for Ross, Caithness,
Sutherland, and Cromarty.*

Roderick Mackenzie to be Assistant-Surgeon.
Dated 11th July, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Monmouth.*

Royal Monmouthshire Militia.

James Browne, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice
Lieutenant William Owen, appointed to Her
Majesty's 52nd Regiment of the Line. Dated
25th June, 1856.

George Daunt, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice
Lieutenant Edward James Tyler, appointed to
Her Majesty's 5th Regiment of the Line.
Dated 25th June, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 29,
1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day His Royal Highness George William Frederick Charles, Duke of Cambridge, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, was, by command of Her Majesty, introduced into the Privy Council by the Right Honourable

Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (in the absence of the Lord President of the Council), and His Royal Highness took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered, by Her Majesty in Council, that the Parliament be prorogued from Tuesday the twenty-ninth day of July instant, to Tuesday the seventh day of October next.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased, upon a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint the Reverend Robert Edgar Hughes, M.A., Fellow and Tutor of Magdalen College, Cambridge, to be one of Her Majesty's Assistant Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, holden in the eleventh and 1856.

twelfth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to prohibit the importation of sheep, cattle, or other animals, for the purpose of preventing the introduction of contagious or infectious disorders," it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time, by Order in Council, to make such regulations for subjecting sheep, cattle, horses, or other animals to quarantine, or for causing the same to be destroyed upon their arrival in this country, or for destroying any hay, straw, fodder, or other article whereby it appears to Her Majesty that infection or contagion may be conveyed, and generally to make such regulations with respect to the importation of sheep, cattle, horses, or other animals as Her Majesty may consider to be necessary in order to prevent the introduction of any contagious or infectious disorder, and also by any further Order or Orders in Council, from time to time, to revoke the whole or any part of such Order or Orders issued, under the authority of the said Act.

And whereas by Order in Council, bearing date the fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, issued in pursuance of said Act, Her Majesty was pleased to make certain regulations with respect to the importation of sheep and lambs infected with a certain contagious disease, and whereas it is expedient to revoke the said Order, and to extend the provisions thereof.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and under the authority of the said Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Order in Council, dated the fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, shall, from and after the day of the insertion hereof in the London Gazette, cease and determine.

And whereas it has been represented to Her Majesty that sheep, lambs, cattle, and pigs infected with certain contagious or infectious disorders are from time to time imported or brought into this county, whereby infection or contagion may be conveyed.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and by virtue of the said Act, doth order, and it is hereby further ordered, that if any sheep, lambs, cattle or pigs imported or brought into this country shall appear at the time of their importation to be infected with or labouring under any contagious or infectious disorder whereby infection or contagion may be conveyed such sheep, lambs, cattle or pigs and all or any sheep, lambs, cattle, or pigs imported or brought into this country in the same ship or vessel with any sheep, lambs, cattle, or pigs which shall appear to be so diseased, and all hay, straw, fodder or other article by which it shall appear that infection or contagion may be conveyed, shall be seized and detained by the officers of Her Majesty's customs at the port of import, and the circumstances be forthwith reported by such officers to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, and if it be certified to the said Commissioners by any veterinary surgeon appointed by them to inspect such sheep, lambs, cattle or pigs, that they or any of them are infected with or labouring under any such disorder, then the said Commissioners may, if they think proper, cause such sheep, lambs, cattle or pigs as are so certified to be forthwith destroyed, and they the said Commissioners shall thereupon give such directions as they think fit, either for destroying or for further detaining all or any others of the sheep, lambs, cattle or pigs which may have been so imported or brought into this country in the same ship or

vessel with the sheep, lambs, cattle, or pigs so certified as aforesaid, together with all such hay, straw, fodder or other article, or for restoring the same to the owner or owners thereof, subject to any conditions which they may think fit to prescribe, and upon payment by such owner or owners of any expenses incurred by the said Commissioners in respect of the detention thereof.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Rathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act passed in the session of Parliament, held in the fifteenth and sixteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to facilitate and arrange proceedings in the County Courts," it is enacted, that, if the council of any city or borough, or a majority of the ratepayers of any parish, within the limits of which a court of local jurisdiction other than a county court is established, under the Act of the ninth and tenth Vic., chap. ninety-five, or into the limits of which the jurisdiction of such court of local jurisdiction shall extend, shall petition the Queen in Council, that the jurisdiction of such court of local jurisdiction may be excluded in any causes whereof the county court hath cognizance, and if notice of such petition shall be given two months before it is presented, by public advertisement in such city, borough, or parish, and in some newspaper therein circulated,

Her Majesty by Order in Council, may declare such exclusion of the jurisdiction of such court of local jurisdiction throughout the whole or any part of the district assigned or which may hereafter be assigned to such county court, if no petition against declaring such exclusion be presented, and no caveat be entered at the council office.

And whereas the council of the city of Worcester, have presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council, praying that the jurisdiction of the court of record holden in the said city, called "The Court of Pleas of the city of Worcester," shall be excluded in all causes whereof the county court holden in the said city, hath cognizance, in which the debt or damages sought to be recovered shall not exceed twenty pounds, and all actions of ejectment between landlord and tenant wherein the annual rent of the premises, of which possession is sought to be recovered shall not exceed fifty pounds.

And whereas notice of such petition has been given as required by the said Act, and no petition against declaring such exclusion has been presented, and no caveat has been entered at the Council Office.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to declare and doth hereby declare that the jurisdiction of the said court of record in the city of Worcester, called "The Court of Pleas or the city of Worcester," be excluded in all causes whereof the county court holden in the said city hath cognizance, in which the debt or damage sought to be recovered shall not exceed twenty pounds, and in all actions of ejectment between landlord and tenant, wherein the annual rent of the premises of which possession is sought to be recovered shall not exceed fifty pounds.

Whereof the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the city of Worcester, for the time being, and all other persons whom it may concern are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that all the provisions of the "Summary Procedure on Bills of Exchange Act, 1855," should be extended and applied to the Court of Record, holden in the city of Worcester, called "The Court of Pleas of the city of Worcester."

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that all the provisions of the "Common Law Procedure Act, 1852," and "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1854," and the rules made or to be made in pursuance thereof, should extend and apply to the Court of Record, holden in the city of Worcester, called "The Court of Pleas of the city of Worcester."

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the time for the discontinuance of burials in the undermentioned churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the churchyard of the parish of **BERKELEY**,
from the fifth of August, to the fifth of Oc-

tober, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of NEW BRENTFORD, from the first of July instant, to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, on condition that (except in private vaults and graves) interments take place only in the unused portion of the ground; in the parish churchyard and in the new churchyard of CHATTERIS, from the first of August, to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of the parish of FLINT, from the first of July, to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the cathedral precincts, GLOUCESTER, in the churchyards of St. Aldate, St. John the Baptist, St. Michael with St. Mary de Grace, St. Mary de Crypt, St. Nicholas, St. Mary de Lode, St. Catherine, and Christ Church (Spa), and in the burial-grounds of the Infirmary, of the Independent, Wesleyan, Baptist, and Unitarian Chapels, and of St. Michael, all in the said city, from the thirtieth of June, to the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the burial-grounds of St. Mary's Chapel, the Baptist Chapel, the Presbyterian Chapel, the English Presbyterian Chapel, and of the Quakers' Meeting House, in the town of MARYPORT, and parish of Cross Canonby, from the first of August to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of St. Philip SHEFFIELD, from the first of July instant, to the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, on condition that in the meantime one body only be buried in a grave, and that no grave be made less than five feet deep, and in soil free from remains; in the churchyard of NEW WINDSOR, and in the burial-ground of the Baptist Chapel, and in the

Acre Burial-ground, in Windsor, from the first of August next, to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time, to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act (whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder. or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit;

And whereas by an Order in Council of the thirteenth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in the Quakers' burial-ground at BLACKBURN, from and after the first of May then next, and such time has since been postponed to the first of May last, and it seems fit that the said order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, in lieu thereof, that burials be discontinued in the said burial-ground, except in ground which has never

been previously buried in, and which is more than ten feet from any building.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the thirty-first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, burials were directed to be discontinued from and after the first of October in that year, in the Primitive Methodist burial-ground, near Daisy Hill, *Manningham*, BRADFORD, in the County of York, and it seems fit that the said order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, in lieu thereof, that burials be discontinued in the said burial-ground, except in vaults and graves which can be opened without the exposure of remains, and in which each coffin shall be imbedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in the burial-ground of the Independent Chapel, COGGESHALL, Essex, from and after the first of August then next, and such date has since been extended to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the use of the following vaults in the said burial-ground may still be allowed, after the said first of September, provided that the said vaults, when required, be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner ; viz. : one vault belonging to F. U. Patterson, Esq., opened in one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five ; two vaults belonging

to the Unwin family, opened in one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three and one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four ; and one vault belonging to Charles Moore, Esq., opened in one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in part of the Wesleyan Chapel General Cemetery, *Cheetham Hill*, in the parish of MANCHESTER, and regulated in the rest of such Cemetery, and directed to be wholly discontinued therein (except in then existing private vaults and graves) from the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it 'is hereby ordered, in lieu thereof, that interment in the said cemetery be discontinued, except in family vaults and graves ; that no grave be less than five feet deep, and no coffin be placed within a foot of any other coffin, unless in a vault or brick grave, in which each coffin shall be imbedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eleventh of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued from the first of May then next, in the churchyard of MILTON, next Gravesend, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that interments may take place in now existing vaults and brick graves, in the said churchyard, provided that such vaults and brick graves, when required, be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in ; that

each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner ; and that the only bodies interred be those of the husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, and brothers and sisters of those already buried therein.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighth of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, certain Regulations were made in respect of burials in the churchyard of St. Michael, PEMBROKE, and by another Order in Council of the twenty-fourth of June last, other regulations were made in lieu thereof, and it seems fit that the said last-mentioned Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the words in the said Order of the twenty-fourth of June last, contained, viz. "unless to bury another member of the same family, in which case a layer of earth, a foot thick, is to be left between the coffins," be, and the same are hereby repealed, so far as they regard the said churchyard of St. Michael, Pembroke.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued from and after the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the churchyard of St. Gregory, SUDBURY, in the county of Suffolk, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, in lieu thereof, that the ancient part of the said churchyard remain closed, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, the

use of which will be permitted until the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, on condition that each coffin to be interred, be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and that burials may be continued until the said first of January next, in the new portion of the said churchyard, provided that, with the exception of family vaults and graves, one body only be buried in a grave, and that with the same exception, no grave be re-opened.

And whereas by two Orders in Council of the twenty-ninth of March, and eighth of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the churchyards of All Saints and St. Catherine, WIGAN, and in the burial-grounds attached to the Independent Chapel, Standishgate, to the Presbyterian Chapel, to St. Mary's Roman Catholic Chapel, Standishgate, to Lord-street Chapel, and to St. John's Roman Catholic Chapel, Standishgate, in the said borough, and such time has since been extended to the first of September next, and it seems fit that the said Orders be varied; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following words be added to the said two Orders in respect of the above-mentioned churchyards and burial-grounds in Wigan, viz. : "except in vaults and brick graves for the burial of the husband, wife, parents, and children, of persons already interred therein, in which case each coffin shall be imbedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner."

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order, that the representation made by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (as set forth in this Gazette), that no new burial-ground should be opened in any of the under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials shall be discontinued therein, with the following modification:—

DARFIELD.—Forthwith in the *church of Worsbrough*, in the parish of Darfield, and also in the *churchyard*, except in now existing brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. **BRADFORD, YORKSHIRE** —Forthwith in the whole of the *churchyard* of the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, except in private vaults and graves which can be opened without the disturbance of remains, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner. **HARTLEPOOL.**—Forthwith in the *parish churchyard* of Hartlepool, except in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner, and except for the burial of widowers and widows of those already buried in such other graves as can be opened without the disturbance of remains. **LEOMINSTER, HEREFORDSHIRE.**—

Forthwith in the *parish church* of Leominster, and also in any aisle having internal communication therewith, and that in the *churchyard* every coffin buried in a vault or brick grave shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an airtight manner. **WHITKIRK.**—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Whitkirk, in the county of York. **MARKET DRAYTON.**—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Market Drayton, otherwise Drayton-in-Hales, and also (except in vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner, and in graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of remains) in the *parish churchyard*, in *Little Drayton Churchyard*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Independent and Baptist Chapels*. **TRINDON, DURHAM.**—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Trindon; and from and after the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. **KETTERING.**—Forthwith in the *parish church*, Kettering, in the *Wesleyan and Independent Chapels*, and in the *burial-grounds* of the *Wesleyan, Independent, and Baptist Chapels*, within three yards of all dwelling-houses; that in the churchyard and in the said three burial-grounds (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave; and that from and after the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, burials

be discontinued in the said churchyard and burial-grounds, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. DAWLEY, SALOP.—On and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard* of *Malins See*, in the parish of Dawley, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which are free from water, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and entombed in an airtight manner, and that in the meantime no grave be dug less than five feet deep and in soil free from remains. CHESHAM, BUCKS.—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Chesham, and in the *Lower Baptist Chapel*, and from and after the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented, in the burial-grounds of the *Baptist Chapel, Townfields*, of the *Lower Baptist Chapel*, of the *Independent Chapel*, and in the Old Burial-ground of the *General Baptist Chapel*. HORSHAM, SUSSEX.—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Horsham, and in the *General Baptist Chapel*, also in the burial-grounds of the *General Baptist* and *Friends Chapels*, within three yards of all dwelling-houses ; and in the *Old Parish Churchyard*, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened

without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the ninth day of September next.

*Council Office, Whitehall, the 28th day of
July, 1856.*

Whereas the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the Act of the 17th and 18th Vict., cap. 81, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," have framed the following ORDINANCE for the conversion of four Fellowships in BRASENOSE COLLEGE, OXFORD, into Scholarships within the same College; and such ordinance has been submitted to the said College, and has not been objected to by two-thirds of the governing body thereof, and has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act; and notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons mentioned in the 35th section of that Act, within one month after this publication, to petition Her Majesty in Council against the approbation of the said ordinance or of any part thereof.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

ORDINANCE above referred to.

We the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of an Act passed in the 17th and 18th years

of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "an Act to make further provision for "the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and "of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," do in execution of the powers given to us by the said Act, make this ordinance for the conversion of four Fellowships within the King's Hall and College of Brasenose, in Oxford, commonly called Brasenose College, into Scholarships, within the same College.

The first, second, fourth, and sixth of the Fellowships within the said College which shall become vacant after this ordinance shall have been approved by Her Majesty in Council, shall not be filled up ; and all the emoluments of and appertaining to the same four Fellowships which would have been payable to the persons elected into the same and their successors had the same been filled up, shall be applied, as such emoluments shall become available by the occurrence of successive vacancies, in maintaining within the said College as many Scholars receiving a yearly stipend, not less than sixty pounds each, as the amount for the time being available shall allow : Provided always that the number of Scholars to be maintained out of the emoluments of the said four Fellowships shall at no time be greater than twelve : Provided also that if any Fellowship or Fellowships within the said College shall be vacant at the time when this ordinance shall be approved as aforesaid, such one Fellowship (if but one), or one of such Fellowships (if more than one), shall for the purposes of this ordinance be considered as having become vacant immediately after such approval, and as one of the four Fellowships hereby directed to be converted.

And with respect to the scholars to be maintained.
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tained as aforesaid out of the emoluments of the said four fellowships we ordain as follows :

Every Scholar shall be elected by the Principal, Vice-Principal, Dean, Lecturers, and Tutors of the said College, or, in case of the absence of any of them, by such of them as shall be present (being not fewer than three in number) after a competitive examination of the candidates in such subjects, and conducted in such manner as the Principal and Fellows shall from time to time determine.

The election of the Scholars shall take place on such day in each year as the Principal and Fellows shall appoint, subject to the provision respecting postponement hereinafter contained, and notice of such intended election shall be given by the Principal, or in his absence, by the Vice-Principal, in such manner as the person so giving notice shall deem best adapted to ensure publicity twenty days at least before the day of election.

No person who shall have attained the age of twenty years or shall be an Exhibitioner on the foundation of Mr. William Hulme shall be capable of being elected a Scholar, and no person shall be admitted to be a candidate who shall not produce testimonials of his moral character satisfactory to the Principal or in his absence to the Vice-Principal.

Whenever there shall be no candidate whom the electors shall judge duly qualified for election, it shall be lawful for them to postpone the election to some other day, to be fixed by them for the purpose, not later than the day which shall be appointed by the Principal and Fellows for the election of Scholars in the next year, and every such postponed election shall be held and conducted in the same manner in which the elections of Scholars are hereinbefore directed to be held and conducted.

The Scholarships shall be tenable for five years and no longer, but in the case of any Scholarship, the election to which shall have been postponed as aforesaid, the said term of five years shall be computed from the day on which the election would have taken place if there had been no postponement, and every Scholar who shall marry, or shall be elected to a Fellowship or to an Exhibition on the foundation of Mr. William Hulme, in the said College or to a Fellowship or Scholarship in any other College, shall *ipso facto* vacate his Scholarship.

Every Scholar shall be subject to such regulations as to residence, instruction, discipline, and attendance on divine worship as the Principal and Fellows shall from time to time determine, and may be deprived of his Scholarship by the Principal and Fellows for any misconduct which shall in their judgment deserve deprivation, but with liberty to appeal against such deprivation to the Visitor of the said College.

Given under our common seal
this 22nd day of May, 1856.



Crown-Office, July 28, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Dorset.

Henry Gerard Sturt, of Critchell, in the said county, Esq., in the room of the Right Honourable George Bankes, deceased.

War-Department, Pall Mall,
29th July, 1856.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Robert James Montgomery to be Captain, without purchase, vice Elliot, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th July, 1856.

7th Dragoon Guards, Cornet Edward E. Lawrence, from the 11th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Fife, appointed to the 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 29th July, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon John Harrison Robotham, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Llewelyn, promoted on the Staff. Dated 29th July, 1856.

11th Light Dragoons, Edward E. Lawrence, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Brooke, promoted. Dated 29th July, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Ralph Shelton Bond to be Captain, by purchase, vice Lennox, who retires. Dated 29th July, 1856.

Cornet Robert Rintoul to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bond. Dated 29th July, 1856.

Erasmus Gower, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Rintoul. Dated 29th July, 1856.

6th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Richard Bolton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Grogan, who retires. Dated 29th July, 1856.

Irving Stening Allfrey, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bolton. Dated 29th July, 1856.

36th Foot, Ensign Thomas Scarlett, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Mahon, deceased. Dated 17th June, 1856.

69th Foot, Captain Charles Newton Biggs, from the 82nd Foot, to be Captain, vice the Honourable Alfred Bury, who exchanges. Dated 29th July, 1856.

72nd Foot, Lieutenant John Thomas Campbell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Atkinson, who retires. Dated 29th July, 1856.

81st Foot, Ensign F. K. FitzRoy, from the 54th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 29th July, 1856.

82nd Foot, Captain the Honourable Alfred Bury, from the 69th Foot, to be Captain, vice Biggs, who exchanges. Dated 29th July, 1856.

BRITISH GERMAN LEGION.

The following Officers to be permitted to resign their Commissions:

2nd Light Infantry, Ensign Victor Julius. Dated 5th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Paul Reimer. Dated 5th July, 1856.

3rd Light Infantry, Lieutenant Wilhelm Strecher, Dated 5th July, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major Alexander James Hardy Elliot, 5th Dragoon Guards, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th July, 1856.

[Erratum in the Gazette of 22nd July, 1856.]

For **22nd Foot**.

Captain H. G. Bowden to be Instructor of Musketry, 22nd July, 1856.

Read, **Depôt Battalion**.

Captain H. G. Bowden, 22nd Foot, to be Captain Instructor of Musketry. Dated 11th July, 1856.

Erratum in the Gazette of 25th July, 1856.

Royal Engineers. The surname of the Captain appointed to a Lieutenant-Colonelcy is *Hamley*, and not *Hawley*.

Admiralty, 29th July, 1856.

Vice-Admiral of the Blue Peter John Douglas has been appointed to receive a pension of £150 a year, as provided for in Her Majesty's Order in Council of 25th June, 1851, vacant by the decease of Admiral Henry Richard Glynn, and the name of Vice-Admiral Peter John Douglas has been removed to the Reserved Half-pay List accordingly; and, in consequence of this removal, the following promotions, dated the 21st instant, have taken place :

Rear-Admiral of the Red Robert Wauchope to be Vice-Admiral of the Blue.

Rear-Admiral of the White the Honourable Henry John Rous to be Rear-Admiral of the Red.

Rear-Admiral of the Blue George William Conway Courtenay to be Rear-Admiral of the White.

Captain John Milligan Laws,

Captain Sir Burton Macnamara,

to be Rear-Admirals on the Reserved List.

Captain Right Honourable the Lord George Paulet, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral of the Blue.

Captain Joseph Harrison, on the Retired List, has also been promoted to be a Retired Rear-Admiral on the terms proposed in the London Gazette of 1st September, 1846, without increase of pay.

Commission signed by the Queen.

*2nd (Light Infantry) Regiment of King's Own
Staffordshire Militia.*

Eyre Trench John Richard Nugent, Esq., to be
Adjutant, vice Gardiner, resigned. Dated 5th
July, 1856.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 29,
1856.

War-Department, July 30, 1856.

LORD PANMURE has received a Despatch, of which the following is a copy, addressed to his Lordship by General Sir William Codrington, K.C.B.

MY LORD, *Constantinople, July 16, 1856.*

FINDING that all arrangements would be completed for evacuating the Crimea on the 12th instant, I wrote, the previous day, to the officer in command of the Russian troops, a Colonel of the Gendarmerie, at Kamiesh, that I should be ready to hand over the Dockyard of Sevastopol and the port of Balaklava on that day.

Her Majesty's ship *Algiers* had entered the port of Balaklava on the 7th instant; the 56th Regiment embarked in that ship on the evening of the 11th; the only troops remaining were one wing of the 50th Regiment, which formed the guard of the town that night.

The following day, the 12th, at one P.M., all the remaining stores and establishments having been embarked, a company of the 50th was posted outside of the town to receive the Russian troops, and on their approach, marched in with the Russian Guard, composed of about 50 mounted Cossacks and a similar number of Infantry Cossacks.

The usual form of salutes took place, the Russians placed sentries where they wished, and the four companies of the 50th marched on board the *Algiers*. I embarked with my personal staff at the same time.

Although the weather was unfavourable we were enabled to quit the harbour of Balaklava that evening.

Admiral Sir H. Stewart and Admiral Fremantle were at anchor outside the harbour; they weighed, and we all sailed for this place, where I arrived to-day.

I have, &c.,

W. J. CODRINGTON,

General Commanding.

The Lord Panmure, &c. &c. &c.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 1,
1856.

The Speech of the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Tuesday, July, 29, 1856.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

WE are commanded by Her Majesty to release you from further attendance in Parliament, and, at the same time, to express to you her warm

acknowledgments for the zeal and assiduity with which you have applied yourselves to the discharge of your public duties during the session.

When Her Majesty met you in Parliament at the opening of the session Her Majesty was engaged, in co-operation with her Allies, the Emperor of the French, the King of Sardinia, and the Sultan, in an arduous War, having for its object matters of high European Importance; and Her Majesty appealed to your loyalty and patriotism for the necessary means to carry on that War with the energy and vigour essential to success.

You answered nobly the appeal then made to you; and Her Majesty was enabled to prepare for the operations of the expected campaign naval and military forces worthy of the power and reputation of this country.

Happily it became unnecessary to apply those forces to the purposes for which they had been destined. A treaty was concluded by which the objects for which the War had been undertaken were fully attained; and an honourable Peace has saved Europe from the calamities of continual warfare.

Her Majesty trusts that the benefits resulting from that Peace will be extensive and permanent; and that while the friendships and alliances which were cemented by common exertions during the contest will gain strength by mutual interests in Peace, those asperities which inherently belong to conflict will give place to the confidence and goodwill with which a faithful execution of engagements will inspire those who have learnt to respect each other as antagonists.

Her Majesty commands us to thank you for your support in the hour of trial, and to express

to you her fervent hope that the prosperity of her faithful people, which was not materially checked by the pressure of War, may continue and be increased by the genial influence of Peace.

Her Majesty is engaged in negotiations on the subject of questions in connection with the affairs of Central America; and Her Majesty hopes that the differences which have arisen on those matters between Her Majesty's Government and that of the United States may be satisfactorily adjusted.

We are commanded by Her Majesty to inform you, that Her Majesty desires to avail herself of this occasion to express the pleasure which it afforded her to receive, during the War in which she has been engaged, numerous and honourable proofs of loyalty and public spirit from Her Majesty's Indian territories, and from those colonial possessions which constitute so valuable and important a part of the dominions of Her Majesty's Crown.

Her Majesty has given her cordial assent to the Act for rendering more effectual the police in counties and boroughs in England and Wales. This Act will materially add to the security of person and property, and will thus afford increased encouragement to the exertions of honest industry.

Her Majesty rejoices to think that the Act for the improvement of the internal arrangements of the University of Cambridge, will give fresh powers of usefulness to that ancient and renowned seat of learning.

The Act for regulating Joint Stock Companies, will afford additional facilities for the advantageous employment of capital, and will thus tend to promote the development of the resources of the country; while the Acts passed relative to the mercantile laws of England and of Scotland,

will diminish the inconvenience which the differences of those laws occasion to Her Majesty's subjects engaged in trade.

Her Majesty has seen with satisfaction, that you have given your attention to the arrangements connected with County Courts. It is Her Majesty's anxious wish that justice should be attainable by all classes of her subjects, with as much speed and with as little expense as may be consistent with the due investigation of the merits of causes to be tried.

Her Majesty trusts that the Act for placing the Coast Guard under the direction of the Board of Admiralty, will afford the groundwork for arrangements for providing, in time of peace, means applicable to national defence on the occurrence of any future emergency.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

We are commanded by Her Majesty to thank you for the readiness with which you have granted the supplies for the present year.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Her Majesty commands us to congratulate you on the favourable state of the revenue, and upon the thriving condition of all branches of the national industry; and she acknowledges with gratitude the loyalty of her faithful subjects, and that spirit of order and that respect for the law which prevail in every part of her dominions.

Her Majesty commands us to express her confidence that on your return to your homes you will promote, by your influence and example, in your several districts, that continued and progressive improvement which is the vital principle of the well-being of nations; and Her Majesty fervently prays that the blessing of Almighty God

may attend your steps, and prosper your doings for the welfare and happiness of her people.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read ; after which the Lord Chancellor said,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name and in obedience to her commands, prorogue this Parliament to Tuesday the seventh day of October next, to be then here holden ; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Tuesday the seventh day of October next.

*At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 28th day of July, 1856.*

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the regulations submitted (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Commissioners for the Harbour and Docks of Leith, for the licensing and government of the pilots under their authority, pursuant to the provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854."

*At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 28th day of July, 1856.*

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the bye-laws submitted (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Corporation of the Trinity House of Leith, for the government of pilots, and for other purposes within their jurisdiction, pursuant to the provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854."

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas Her Majesty was pleased by Her Order in Council of the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, on a Petition of the Justices of the Peace for the county of Dorset, presented under the provisions of an Act passed in the session of Parliament holden in the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the law relating to the Office of County Coroner," to order and direct that the said county of Dorset should be divided, for the purposes of the said Act, into six districts, as prayed for by the said petition, and described in the map annexed thereto (and which map was also annexed to the said order), and that the district numbered 1 on the said map should be called the Shaftesbury District; that the district numbered 2 on the said map should be called the Blandford and Wimborne District; that the district numbered 3 on the said map should be called the Cerne District; that the District numbered 4 on the said map should be called the Dorchester District; that the district numbered 5 on the said map should be called the Portland District; and that the district numbered 6 on the said map should be called the Bridport and Beaminster District; and it was by the said Order further declared, ordered, directed, and determined, that the court to be holden for the election of coroner in each of the said six districts respectively, when and as often as the same should become necessary under the provisions of the said Act, should be as follows, that is to say:—for the said Shaftesbury District, at Shaftesbury; for the

said Blandford and Wimborne District, at Blandford ; for the said Cerne District, at Cerne Abbas ; for the said Dorchester District, at Dorchester ; for the said Portland District, at Chesilton, within the Island of Portland ; and for the said Bridport and Beaminster District, at Bridport;

And whereas the Justices of the Peace for the said county of Dorset, in general quarter sessions assembled at Dorchester, on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, resolved that an humble petition should be presented to Her Majesty in Council praying that an alteration may be made in the aforesaid division of the said county, and such petition, certified under the hands of two of the Justices present when the said petition was agreed to, has been presented to Her Majesty in Council accordingly, representing—

That the county of Dorset, the parishes wherein were not subject to local jurisdiction, had, by virtue of an Order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 11th day of February, 1848, been divided into six districts for the purposes of the Act made and passed in the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Law respecting the Office of County Coroner;" that the coroner of one such districts, namely, the "Cerne District," had been dead upwards of a twelvemonth, and no candidate for the office had since presented himself for the suffrages of the freeholders; that the district was a very small one in point of population, in fact the smallest of the six districts (with the exception of the district forming the Island of Portland) into which the county was divided, which fact was considered incommensurable with the dignity and importance of the office, and with the great expense attendant upon the issue of the necessary writ of De Coronatore Eligendo and of the election, which expense,

as falling on the candidates, Her Majesty's petitioners had been informed and believed had deterred any eligible person from offering himself to fill the vacancy; that besides these six districts, the numbers of the population in which, according to the census of 1841, amounted to 124,695, there were six other coroners exercising exclusive jurisdiction in liberties embracing, both in acreage and population, more than half the county, the population being, according to the above census, 174,337 in number, being an excess over the population in the six districts of the county coroners of nearly 5,000; and that whereas at the time when the said county was so divided into coroners' districts as aforesaid, the two out-parishes of St. Martin and St. Mary, in Wareham, in the said county, and which did not form part of the borough of Wareham, were omitted to be named or assigned to any particular district under the said Order in Council, and that it was desirable that the same should be rectified; that therefore it seemed expedient to the said justices of the peace of the said county that an alteration should be made of the said division of the county under the powers of the said Act by assigning the parishes in the said district, called the "Cerne District," to the adjoining districts called respectively the "Dorchester District" and the "Bridport and Beaminster District," and that the two out-parishes of St. Martin and St. Mary, in Wareham aforesaid, so omitted to be named or assigned to any district as aforesaid, might be added to the Dorchester District; and that the said petitioners having therefore resolved in general quarter sessions assembled to present the said petition to Her Majesty, praying that such proposed alteration be made, and the further consideration of such petition having been adjourned until notice thereof had been given to the coroners of such county as provided by the

said Act, and such notice having been duly given by the clerk of the peace, and the justices having conferred with every such coroner who had attended the meetings of the justices for that purpose, touching the said petition (a copy of which had been sent by and certified under the hand of the clerk of the peace of the said county to every coroner for such county as provided by the said Act), and due regard being had to the size and nature of the said districts, the number of the inhabitants, the nature of their employments, and such other circumstances as appeared to the said justices fit to be considered in carrying into execution the proposed alteration; and humbly praying, for the reasons thereinbefore set forth, that Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, would be pleased to order that an alteration of the six districts into which the county had been divided under the Order in Council hereinbefore referred to, as shown and delineated in the map or plan annexed to the said petition, describing the several districts and the boundaries thereof, might be made, so far as regarded the districts to be affected by the parishes in the said Cerne District being annexed and added to the two adjoining districts, called the "Dorchester District," and the "Bridport and Beaminster District" respectively, as in the said petition mentioned; and that Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, would be pleased to order that the two out-parishes of St. Martin and St. Mary, in Wareham aforesaid so omitted to be named or assigned to any district under the said Order in Council, as hereinbefore mentioned, might be annexed and added to the said district, called the "Dorchester District."

And whereas Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, has been pleased to comply with the prayer of the said petition;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the

advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following parishes, now comprehended in the Cerne District in the said hereinbefore recited Order in Council, namely, the parishes of Alton Pancras, Buckland Newton, Cattistock, Cerne Abbas, Nether Cerne, Chesilborne, Frome St. Quinton, Godmanstone, Glanvilles Wootton, Hillfield, Evershot, Melbury Sampford, Stockwood, Hermitage, Maiden Newton, Melcome Horsey, Mappowder, Minterne Magna, Puddletrenthide, Pndham, Plush, Sydling St. Nicholas, Chilfrome, Frome Vanchurch, Toller Fratrum, Toller Porcorum, Wraxall, and Wynford Eagle, be taken from the said Cerne district, and be added to the Dorchester District in the said Order in Council mentioned, and that the out-parishes of Sr. Martin and St. Mary in Wareham be added to the said Dorchester District; and it is also ordered that the following parishes, now comprehended in the said Cerne district in the said Order in Council mentioned, namely, the parishes of Askerswell, Chelborough East, Chelborough West, Chilcombe, Corscombe, Halstock, Hook, North Poorton, Powerstock, Rampisham, Ryme Intrinseca, and Witherstone, be taken from the said Cerne district and added to the Bridport and Beaminster district in the said Order in Council mentioned.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For substituting a money payment for certain property belonging to the Dean and Chapter of the collegiate church of Westminster.

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For authorizing the sale of certain property situate in the parish of Saint Margaret, in the city of Westminster, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the first portion or prebend called Astley, in the collegiate or parish church of Bromyard, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For making better provision for the cure of souls in the parishes of Wolvey, in the county of Warwick, and diocese of Worcester; Chard, in the county of Somerset and diocese of Bath and Wells; Ufton, in the county of Warwick and diocese of Worcester; Little Ouseburn, in the county of York and diocese of Ripon, and Great Driffeld and Little Driffeld, in the county and diocese of York; All Saints, Tuckingmill, in the county of Cornwall and in the diocese of Exeter.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the precentorship of the cathedral church of Hereford, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the Prebend of Netheravon, in the cathedral church of Salisbury, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the ninth canonry in the cathedral church of Durham, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the Archdeaconry of Durham, in the diocese of Durham, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

*At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight,
the 28th day of July, 1856.*

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

Assigning particular districts .

To the consecrated church of Saint Andrew, situate at Ashley-place, in the parish of Saint Margaret, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, to be named "The District Chapelry of Saint Andrew, Westminster."

To the consecrated churches of Saint Stephen, Westbourne-park-road, and Saint Saviour, Warwick-road, both in the said parish of Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, to be called "The District Chapelry of Saint Stephen, Paddington," and "The District Chapelry of Saint Saviour, Paddington."

To the consecrated church of Saint Fagan, situate in the parish of Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan and diocese of Llandaff, to be named "The District Chapelry of Saint Fagan, Aberdare."

Crown-Office, August 1, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

Town of Nottingham.

Charles Paget, of Ruddington Grange, in the county of Nottingham, Esquire, in the room of The Right Honourable Edward Strutt, who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Manor of Hempholme, in the county of York.

Westminster, July 29, 1856.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read*; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply a sum out of the Consolidated Fund and the surplus of ways and means to the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this Session of Parliament.

An Act to continue for a limited time the exemption of certain charities from the operation of the Charitable Trusts Acts.

An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Cambridge, of the colleges therein, and of the College of King Henry the Sixth at Eton.

An Act to amend the law and practice of the Court of Chancery in Ireland in relation to the appointment of Receivers over real estate, and to expedite the sale of estates in the said court.

An Act to render valid certain marriages in the church at Coatham, in the parish of Kirk Leatham, in the county of York.

An Act to indemnify such persons in the United Kingdom as have omitted to qualify them-

selves for offices and employment, and to extend the time limited for those purposes respectively.

An Act to continue the Act to facilitate the management and improvement of episcopal and capitular estates in England.

An Act for the further alteration and amendment of the laws and duties of customs.

An Act to continue "The Railways Act (Ireland), 1851."

An Act to continue certain Acts for regulating turnpike roads in Ireland.

An Act to consolidate and amend the laws relating to bankruptcy in Scotland.

An Act to continue the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy-four, for preventing the administering and taking of unlawful oaths in Ireland, as amended by an Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her Majesty's reign.

An Act to constitute all legally qualified persons in Scotland Commissioners of Supply without being named in an Act of Supply.

An Act for the uniform administration of intestates' estates.

An Act to give to the University of Oxford and to Colleges in the said University, and to the College of Saint Mary of Winchester, near Winchester, power to sell and exchange lands, under certain conditions.

An Act to authorize the inclosure of certain lands, in pursuance of a special report of the Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales.

An Act for amending the law of marriage in Scotland.

An Act to grant relief in assessing the income tax on lands in Scotland in respect of certain public burdens charged thereon; to alter and regulate the allowances to clerks to the Commissioners of Income Tax; and to amend the laws relating

the land, assessed, and income taxes, and the redemption and purchase of the land tax.

An Act to reduce the stamp duties on certain instrument of proxy ; to amend the laws relating to the stamping of articles of clerkship to attorneys and others; and to exempt from stamp duty admissions to the freedom of the city of London by redemption.

An Act to repeal and reimpose under new regulations the duty on race-horses.

An Act to provide for the better defence of the coasts of the realm, and the more ready manning of the navy, and to transfer to the Admiralty the government of the coast guard.

An Act to continue " The Corrupt Practices Prevention Act, 1854."

An Act to continue the General Board of Health.

An Act to defray the charge of the pay, clothing, and contingent and other expenses of the disembodied militia in Great Britain and Ireland; to grant allowances in certain cases to subaltern officers, adjutants, paymasters, quartermasters, surgeons, assistant-surgeons, and surgeons' mates of the militia; and to authorize the employment of the non-commissioned officers.

An Act to abolish the office of Cursitor Baron of the Exchequer.

An Act to amend " The Lunatic Asylums Act, 1853."

An Act to abolish certain unnecessary forms in the framing of deeds in Scotland.

An Act to amend and re-enact certain provisions of an Act of the fifty-fourth year of King George the Third, relating to judicial procedure and securities for debts in Scotland.

An Act to constitute a Court of Appeal in Chancery, and to amend the law relating to appeals from the Incumbered Estates Court in Ireland.

An Act to amend the laws of England and Ireland affecting trade and commerce.

An Act to continue certain Acts to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals.

An Act to further amend the procedure in, and to enlarge the jurisdiction of the Superior Courts of Common Law in Ireland.

An Act to make better provision for the removal of nuisances, regulation of lodging houses, and the health of towns in Scotland.

An Act to extend the provisions of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, for making better provision for the spiritual care of populous parishes, and further to provide for the formation and endowment of separate and distinct parishes.

An Act to amend "The Smoke Nuisance Abatement (Metropolis) Act, 1853."

An Act to amend the laws relating to the burial of the dead in Ireland.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to lunatic asylums in Ireland, so far as relates to superannuations.

An Act to amend the law with respect to the election of directors of joint stock banks in England.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the County Courts.

An Act for confirming a scheme of the Charity Commissioners for Stoke Poges Hospital in the county of Bucks, with certain alterations.

An Act to provide for taking evidence in Her Majesty's dominions in relation to civil and commercial matters pending before foreign tribunals.

An Act to provide for the retirement of the present Bishops of London and Durham.

An Act to prevent false packing and other frauds in the hay and straw trade.

An Act to amend the Act of the last session of Parliament, chapter one hundred and twenty, for the better Local Management of the Metropolis.

An Act for the appointment of a Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education.

An Act to amend the mode of committing criminal and vagrant children to reformatory and industrial schools.

An Act to amend the law relating to the relief of the poor in Scotland.

An Act to amend the provisions of the marriage and registration Acts.

An Act to amend the Act of the last Session of Parliament, for diminishing expense and delay in the administration of Criminal Justice in certain cases.

An Act to facilitate the leases and sales of settled estates.

An Act for the better regulation of the House of Industry Hospitals, and other hospitals in Dublin supported wholly or in part by Parliamentary grants.

An Act to revive and extend certain of the powers of the Waveney Valley Railway Company with relation to their railway.

An Act for authorizing the abandonment of parts of the authorized lines of the Westminster Terminus Railway, and the making of other lines of railway in lieu thereof; and for reducing the capital of the Westminster Terminus Railway Company; and for other purposes.

An Act to render more effectual the powers of raising money given by "The Severn Navigation Act, 1853," and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from the Oswestry and Newtown Railway, in the parish of Buttington, in the county of Montgomery, to Shrewsbury, with a branch thereout to Minsterley, in the county of Salop; and for other purposes.

An Act for extending the operations of the society for the discharge and relief of persons imprisoned for small debts throughout England and Wales.

An Act to unite and amalgamate the undertaking of the Scottish Midland Junction Railway Company with the Undertaking of the Aberdeen Railway Company, to be thenceforth called "The Scottish North Eastern Railway Company," and to regulate the management of, and confer additional powers on, the united company; and for other purposes.

An Act for making a railway from the Southampton and Dorchester Railway to Blandford, Saint Mary, in the county of Dorset, and for other purposes."

An Act for making a railway from the Scottish Midland Junction Railway, near the Dunkeld-road-bridge to Methven, in the county of Perth.

An Act to extend the time limited for completing the Oxford, Worcester, and Wolverhampton Railway, and for adapting the same to the broad gauge; and for other puposes.

An Act to enable the Scottish Central Railway Company to make branch railways to the town of Denny, in the county of Stirling.

An Act to provide for the arrangement of the financial affairs of the city of Perth for the maintenance of the port and harbour, and for other purposes therewith connected.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 29, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Law recently promulgated, by which the Sardinian Tariff is modified in respect of certain articles as follows :—

	Import.		Export.	
	l.	c.	frs.	c.
Wood for Cabinet Work, in planks or squares, veneered . . . per 100 kilo.				
Paper, White	2	0	—	—
India Rubber and Gutta Percha :—	16*	0	—	—
Raw or liquid	2	50	—	—
Worked, pure, or mixed with other substances of which it forms the larger part	5	0	—	—
Machines—all descriptions for manufacturing paper	—		4	0
Cast Iron in sheets for railways	0	50	—	—
Iron :—				
In rails for railways	1	0	—	—
In round bars of 4 to 12 millimetres in diameter, rolled of at least 8 metres in length	2	0	—	—
Lead—pig and broken	0	50	—	—
Tin in cakes and broken	1	0	—	—
Zinc—1st fusion, in bars, plated	1	0	—	—
Copper in cakes, rose	1	0	—	—
Tiles for draining	1	0	—	—
				per 1000 kilo.

* After 1st July, 1857, the duty on Paper will be reduced from 16 to 10 livres.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,**1st August, 1856.*

8th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Edward Phillips to be Captain, without purchase, vice the Honourable S. J. G. Calthorpe, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Cornet and Adjutant Robert Harding to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Cornet Henry Harrison to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Phillips. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Cornet James Baker has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 1st August, 1856.

10th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Randal Wilmer Hatfield has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 1st August, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Captain Thomas G. Alexander Oakes to be Major, by purchase, vice Monro, who retires. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant Valentine Baker to be Captain, by purchase, vice Oakes. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Cornet George Francis Morant to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Baker. Dated 1st August, 1856.

8th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Forster Longfield to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lillicrap, who retires. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Alfred Downie Corfield, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Longfield. Dated 1st August, 1856.

15th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Denis Healey, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice

Wishart, promoted on the Staff. Dated 1st August, 1856.

20th Foot, Lieutenant Harry Wormald Mason has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 1st August, 1856.

24th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund Prideaux Chichester, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice White, appointed Paymaster. Dated 1st August, 1856.

32nd Foot, Ensign Henry Sparke Stabb to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Primrose, who retires. Dated 1st August, 1856.

William Humphrey Studdy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stabb. Dated 1st August, 1856.

46th Foot, Captain William Shepherd Milner, from the 69th Foot, to be Captain, vice the Honourable William Henry Herbert, who exchanges. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant James Cross has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 1st August 1856.

52nd Foot, Ensign Reginald G. Wilberforce, from the 9th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Burroughs, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1856.

67th Foot, Ensign Albert Stanley Welland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice D'Arcy, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1856.

69th Foot, Captain the Honourable William Henry Herbert, from the 46th Foot, to be Captain, vice Milner, who exchanges. Dated 1st August, 1856.

82nd Foot, Ensign James Baker Robertson has been superseded, he being absent without leave. Dated 1st August, 1856.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant George Gant Beazley, from the 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Nunn, appointed to the 26th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

88th Foot, Lieutenant John Evans to be Adjutant, vice Little promoted. Dated 12th June, 1856.

92nd Foot, Lieutenant Robert Macpherson has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 1st August, 1856.

95th Foot, Lieutenant G. H. Langford Brooke to be Captain, without purchase, vice Henley, retired from full-pay. Dated 1st August, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign Edward D. Lye to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Carter, who has retired. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Henry John Barker, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice King, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Charles Nayler, from the half-pay of the 63rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Beazley, appointed to the 83rd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Ensign Spencer Cobbold Page to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nayler, who retires. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Charles Frederick Lloyd, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Green, promoted in the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Ensign Frederick Blair Staples to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rutherford, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

To be Assistant-Surgeons to the Forces.

Assistant-Surgeon Angus John Mackay, Supernumerary in the 1st Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Albert Hawkins, Supernumerary in the 4th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Price, Supernumerary in the 14th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Joseph Bayfield, Supernumerary in the 19th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard Wolseley, Supernumerary in the 20th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon James Castor Smith, Supernumerary in the 21st Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon John Vernon Seddall, M.D., Supernumerary in the 33rd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Younge Jeeves, Supernumerary in the 38th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon James Petrie Street, M.D., Supernumerary in the 39th Foot. Dated 1st August 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, Supernumerary in the 41st Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Alfred Hooper, Supernumerary in the 42nd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon John Johnson, Supernumerary in the 44th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon John Joseph Adrien, Supernumerary in the 49th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Bradshaw, Supernumerary in the 50th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Stacy Skipton, M.D., Supernumerary in the 56th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Lloyd Randell, Supernumerary in the 62nd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Peter Joseph Hoey, Supernumerary in the 63rd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Thomas Paliologus, Supernumerary in the 77th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard William Meade, Supernumerary in the 88th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Robert Nelson, Supernumerary in the 90th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Pollard, Supernumerary in the 93rd Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon George Money Swinhoe, Supernumerary in the 95th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Allen Bryson, M.D., Supernumerary in the 97th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon George Henry Finlay, Supernumerary in the 1st Battalion of the Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis Stephen Bennet François de Chaumont, M.D., Supernumerary

in the 3rd Battalion of the Rifle Brigade.
Dated 1st August, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Henry Jeremiah Mayhew has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 9th June, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

William Collia. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Francis Reynolds. Dated 1st August, 1856.

William Canniffe, M.D. Dated 1st August, 1856.

James Cruice. Dated 1st August, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant George Barrington Price, from the 11th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Horatio Fenwick, who retires. Dated 1st August, 1856.

BREVET.

Colonel John Michel, C.B., to have the local rank of Major-General at the Cape of Good Hope. Dated 24th July, 1856.

Lieutenant James Shaw Gibb, of the Bengal Artillery, to have the rank of Lieutenant in the Army, while employed at the East India Company's Recruiting Depot at Walley. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the County of Ayr.

Ayrshire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant John Hamilton to be Captain, vice Boyle, resigned. Dated 25th July, 1856.

Cornet John Spier to be Lieutenant, vice Hamilton, promoted. Dated 25th July, 1856.

Claude Alexander, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Cathcart, resigned. Dated 25th July, 1856.

John Crichton, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Sir James Fergusson, promoted. Dated 25th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

Kent Militia Regiment of Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Charles Beauclerk to be Lieutenant, vice Waring, promoted. Dated 10th May, 1856.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 1,
1856.

Whitehall, August 2, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned officers and men in Her Majesty's service Her Majesty's royal licence and permission, that they may accept and wear the Insignia of the several Classes of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour, attached to their respective names, which His Majesty the Emperor of the French hath been pleased to confer upon them as a mark of His Imperial Majesty's approbation of their distinguished services before the

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enemy during the late war, and that they may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto belonging; viz. :—

ROYAL NAVY AND ROYAL NAVAL BRIGADE.

GRAND CROSS (1ST CLASS).

Admiral Lord Lyons, G.C.B.

GRAND OFFICER (2ND CLASS).

Rear-Admiral the Hon. Sir Richard Saunders
Dundas, K.C.B.

COMMANDER (3RD CLASS).

Rear-Admiral Sir Houston Stewart, K.C.B.

OFFICERS (4TH CLASS).

For Service as Captains.

Rear-Admiral Sir Stephen Lushington, K.C.B.
Frederick Thomas Michell, C.B.
Charles Graham, C.B.
Thomas Wren Carter, C.B.

Captain the Hon. Henry Keppel, C.B.
Lewis Tobias Jones, C.B.
William Peel, C.B.
William Moorsom, C.B.
William Robert Menda, C.B.
Thomas Abel Bremage Spratt, C.B.
Sherard Osborn, C.B.

For Service in Royal Marines.

Colonel Thomas Hurdle, C.B.
Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Holloway.

KNIGHTS (5TH CLASS).*For Service as Commanders.*

Captain John James Bartholomew Edward Frere.
 William Farquharson Burnett, C.B.
 Leopold George Heath, C.B.
 Henry Downing Rogers, C.B.
 Henry Schank Hillyar, C.B.
 George Granville Randolph.
 Lord John Hay, C.B.
 Augustus Frederick Kynaston, C.B.
 Richard Ashmore Powell, C.B.
 John Borlase, C.B.
 Rowley Lambert.
 John James Kennedy.
 Cowper Phipps Coles.
 Commander William Montague Dowell.
 John Edmund Commerell.

For Service as Lieutenants.

Commander William Rae Rolland.
 Henry Lloyd.
 William Bowden.
 John Proctor Luce.
 William Gore Jones.
 William Armytage.
 Henry Frederick McKillop.
 John Francis Campbell McKenzie.
 William Horton.
 John Hay Orang.
 James Bull.
 Samuel Pritchard.
 John William Whyte.
 Radulphus Bryce Oldfield.
 William Brabazon Urmston.
 Henry James Raby.
 John Halliday Cave.

Commander Joseph Henry Marryat.
 George Fiott Day.
 Hubert Campion.
 Cecil William Buckley.
 Frederick William Gough.
 John Clark Byng.
 Charles Gerveys Grylla.
 Edward Hardinge.
 Hugh Talbot Burgoyne.
 Alfred Mitchell.
Lieutenant Colin Andrew Campbell.
 Charles Frederic Palmer.
 Osborne William Dalyell.

For Service as Masters and Second Masters.

Mr. Cornelius Thomas Augustus Noddall.
 William Thomas Mainprise.
 Robert Wilson Roberts.
 George Williams.
 Thomas Potter.
 Narcissus Arguimbeau.
 Edward Cedrington Ball.
Lieutenant Edward Wolfe Brooker.
Mr. Frederick Robert Glyndwr Llewellyn.
 William Henessey Parker.

For Service as Mates and Midshipmen.

Lieutenant William Nathan Wright Hewett.
 Horatio Laurence Arthur Lennox
 Maitland.
 William Derenzy Donaldson Selby.
 Andrew James Kennedy.
 George Parsons.
 Henry Knox Leet.
 John Brazier Creagh.
 John Barber Barnett.
 Thomas Livingstone Pearson.
 Neale Dottin Foveran Lillingston.

Lieutenant John Robert Deane Cooper.
 Frederick William Hallowes.
 Gordon Cornwallis Sinclair.

Acting Lieutenant Richard Ramsay Armstrong.
 Mr. Henry Evelyn Wood.
 Edward St. John Daniel.

*For Service as Secretaries to Naval Commanders-
 in-Chief.*

Mr. David James Simpson.
 Frederick Cleeve.

For Service as Medical Officers.

Mr. David Deas, C.B., Inspector of Hospitals and
 Fleets.

John Rees, Deputy Inspector of Hospitals
 and Fleets.

James Walsh, M.D., Surgeon.

William Richard Edwin Smart, M.D., Sur-
 geon.

James Jenkins, M.D., Surgeon.

For Services as Inspector of Machinery.

Mr. Thomas Baker.

For Service as Engineers of Royal Navy.

Mr. George Murdoch.

John Henry Langley.

William Rumble.

For Service as Paymasters.

Mr. Frank Harger.

John Beal.

For Service when Clerk's Assistant.

Mr. George William Muir.

Warrant Officers, &c.

Mr. John Roberts,	}	Gunners, Royal Navy.
John Hayles,		
Richard Verey,		
George Greenirk Dunlop,		
Richard Rowe,		
Robert Spilsbury,	}	Boatswains.
Joseph Kellaway,		

John Shepherd, Boatswain's Mate, "Royal Albert."

William Rickard, Quartermaster, "Weser."

John Cleverly, Gunner's Mate, "London."

John Taylor, Captain of Forecastle, "London."

John Sullivan, Captain of Afterguard, "Rodney."

Charles Willis, Captain of Afterguard, "Agamemnon."

William Allen, A.B., "Agamemnon."

Peter Hanlan, A.B., "Curlew."

George Milestone, A.B., "Weser."

Joseph Trewavas, Ordinary Seaman, "Agamemnon."

Royal Marines.

Brevet-Lieut.-Colonel George Gardiner Alexander, Royal Marine Artillery.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Friend Hopkins.

Brevet-Major William Henry March.

George Stephen Digby, Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain David Blyth.

George Brydges Rodney.

First Lieutenant Frederick George Pym.

Arthur Charles Steele, Royal Marine Artillery.

Archibald Alexander Douglas, Royal Marine Artillery.

Harrison John Jull, Royal Marine Artillery.

Charles Horner, Royal Marine Artillery,	}	Serjeants.
George Yule, Royal Marine Artillery.		
Edwin Richards.		
John Jordan.		
William Chappel, Corporal.		
Thomas Wilkinson, Royal Marine Artillery, Bom- bardier.		
John Bull,	}	Gunners, Royal Marineartil- lery.
Thomas Kerr,		
John Bunton,	}	Privates, Royal Marines.
John Osborn,		

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General Sir George Brown, G.C.B.

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Lieutenant-General Sir De Lacy Evans, G.C.B.
Sir Richard England, G.C.B.
Sir Colin Campbell, G.C.B.
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K.C.B.
Sir William Fenwick Williams,
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Sir John Hall, K.C.B., M.D., Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colonel William Montagu Scott McMurdo, Director-General Land Transport Corps.

Major and Colonel Lord Frederick Paulet, Coldstream Guards.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel the Hon. Alexander Gordon, C.B., Quartermaster-General's Department.

Colonel Arthur Augustus Thurlow Cunynghame, C.B.

Colonel Honourable Percy Egerton Herbert, C.B., Quartermaster-General.

Colonel Richard Wilbraham, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Studholme Brownrigg, C.B., Grenadier Guards.

Lieutenant-Colonel Anthony Sterling, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable St. George Gerald Foley, C.B., Unattached.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Stopford Claremont, C.B., Unattached.

Cavalry.

Colonel Lord George Augustus Frederick Paget, C.B.

Colonel Frederick George Shewell, C.B., 8th Hussars.

Infantry.

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Colonel the Honourable George Frederick Upton, C.B., Coldstream Guards.

Edward Walter Forestier Walker, C.B., Scots Fusilier Guards.

Lord William Paulet, C.B.

Charles Thomas Van Straubenzee, 3rd Regiment.

Frederick Horn, C.B., 20th Regiment.

Charles Richard Sackville, Lord West, C.B.

Daniel Lysons, C.B., 23rd Regiment.

Frank Adams, C.B., 28th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Thomas Mauleverer, C.B., 30th Regiment.

Colonel Duncan Alexander Cameron, C.B., 42nd Regiment.

Honourable Augustus Almeric Spencer, C.B., 44th Regiment.

Robert Garrett, 46th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Thomas Farren, C.B., 47th Regiment.

Colonel Charles Warren, C.B., 55th Regiment.
 Charles Trollope, C.B., 62nd Regiment.
 Horatio Shirley, C.B., 88th Regiment.
 Arthur Johnstone Lawrence, C.B., Rifle
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Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-
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Royal Artillery.

Major-General John Edward Dupuis, C.B.
 Colonel James William Fitzmayer, C.B.
 John St. George, C.B.
 Edward Charles Warde, C.B.
 David Edward Wood, C.B.
 Lieutenant-Colonel John Miller Adye, C.B.

Royal Engineers.

Colonel Alexander Gordon.
 Frederick Edward Chapman, C.B.

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Staff.

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 Colonel Charles Tyrerwhitt, Unattached.
 Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Lennox
 Brownlow Maitland, Deputy Assistant Quarter-
 master-General, Grenadier Guards.
 Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable James William
 Bosville Macdonald, C.B., Unattached.
 Major Hon. William Colville, Aide-de-Camp,
 Rifle Brigade.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Pym Harding,
 Aide-de-Camp and Assistant Adjutant-General,
 22nd Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence Shadwell, Aide-de-Camp and Assistant Quartermaster-General, Unattached.

Brevet-Major Gustavus Hume, Aide-de-Camp and Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, 38th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Kenneth Douglas Mackenzie, Assistant Quartermaster General, 92nd Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Gilling Hallerwell, Assistant Quartermaster-General, Unattached.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Robert Wetherall, Assistant Quartermaster-General, Unattached.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. Francis Colborne, C.B., Assistant Quartermaster-General, Unattached.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel James Talbot Airey, C.B., Assistant Quartermaster-General, Coldstream Guards.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Wynell Mayow, Unattached, Assistant Quartermaster-General.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Hon. Arthur Edward Hardinge, Assistant Quartermaster-General, Coldstream Guards.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Edwin Thackwell, Assistant Adjutant-General, Unattached.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Smith, 3rd Regiment, Assistant Adjutant-General.

Colonel William Sullivan, C.B., Unattached.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Blane, Unattached, Assistant Adjutant-General, and now Military Secretary.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Stewart Wood, C.B., Assistant Adjutant-General, Unattached.

Colonel Collingwood Dickson, C.B., Royal Artillery.

Major George Latham Thompson, Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, 4th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles John Woodford, Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, Rifle Brigade.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Morris, C.B., Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, 17th Lancers.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Harry Smith Willis, Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, 77th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Frederick Smith Vacher, Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, 33rd Regiment.

Brevet-Major William Bellairs, Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, 49th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Julius Richard Glyn, Brigade-Major, Rifle Brigade.

Brevet-Major Arthur Maxwell Earle, Brigade-Major, 57th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Wells Armstrong, 49th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Vaughan Maxwell, C.B., 88th Regiment.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Cuthbert George Ellison, Brigade-Major, Grenadier Guards.

Major Charles Frederick Torrens Daniell, Brigade-Major, 38th Regiment.

Major Roger Barnston, Deputy-Assistant Quartermaster-General, 90th Regiment.

Medical Staff.

Deputy Inspector-General Archibald Gordon, M.D., C.B.

Deputy Inspector-General James Mouatt, M.D., C.B.

First Class Surgeon Thomas Patrick Matthew.

Senior Surgeon, Ordnance Medical Department,
Richard Coffin Elliot.

Inspector-General Thomas Alexander, C.B.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Clarke Brady.

Second Class Staff-Surgeon Thomas Ligertwood,
M.B., late 40th Regiment.

Second Class Staff-Surgeon Henry Thomas Syl-
vester, M.D., 23rd Regiment.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon George Fair, M.D.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Charles O'Callaghan.

Commissariat.

Deputy Commissary - General William Henry
Drake, C.B.

Deputy Commissary-General John William Smith,
C.B.

Deputy Commissary-General Philip Turner.

Deputy Commissary-General Frederick Stanley
Carpenter.

Assistant Commissary-General Montague William
Darling.

Assistant Commissary-General Kean Osborn.

Cavalry.

Major James Conolly, Deputy Assistant Quarter-
master-General, Unattached.

Brevet-Major Alexander James Hardy Elliott,
Aide-de-Camp, 5th Dragoon Guards

Captain Michael M'Creagh, 4th Dragoon Guards.

Serjeant William Percy, 4th Dragoon Guards.

Corporal Henry Herbert, 5th Dragoon Guards.

Private Charles Babbington, 5th Dragoon Guards.

Brevet-Major William de Cardonnel Elmsall, 1st
Royal Dragoons.

Serjeant William Keyle, 1st Royal Dragoons.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George
Calvert Clarke, 2nd Royal Dragoons.

Troop-Serjeant-Major William Rant, 2nd Royal
Dragoons.

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Low, 4th Light Dragoons.

Serjeant David Gillam, 4th Light Dragoons.

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Cameron Shute, 6th Inniskilling.

Serjeant Richard Jeffreys, 6th Inniskilling.

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Rodolph De Salis, 8th Hussars.

Trumpet-Major William Gray, 8th Hussars

Troop Serjeant-Major George George Guttridge, 11th Hussars.

~~1154~~ ~~1155~~ Private John Thomas Bambrick, 11th Hussars.

Brevet-Major Arthur Tremayne, 13th Light Dragoons.

Regimental Serjeant - Major Thomas George Johnson, 13th Light Dragoons.

Captain Sir William Gordon, Bart., 17th Lancers.

Trumpeter John Brown, 17th Lancers.

Infantry.

Grenadier Guards.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Frederick William Hamilton.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Hugh Manvers Percy.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Wentworth Alexander Higginson.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Sir Charles Russell, Bart.

Lieutenant and Captain Viscount Balgonie.

Coldstream Guards.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel William Gregory Dawkins.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Clement William Strong.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Armytage.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Gerard Littlehales Goodlake.

Lieutenant and Captain Harvey Tower.

Scots Fusilier Guards.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Charles Arthur Stephenson.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Honourable John Strange Jocelyn.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Reginald Gipps.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Francis Baring.

Lieutenant and Captain Robert James Lindsay.

Brevet-Major Frederick Wells, 1st Royals, 1st Battalion.

Captain James Archibald Ruddell Todd, 1st Royals, 1st Battalion.

Captain John Martin Brown, 1st Royals, 1st Battalion.

Captain Charles Hurt, 1st Royals, 1st Battalion.

1265 Colour-Serjeant William Gillies, 1st Royals, 1st Battalion.

Captain Theobald McKenna, 1st Royals, 2nd Battalion.

1896 Private Henry Crisell, 1st Royals, 2nd Battalion.

Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel Frederick Francis Maude, 3rd Regiment.

Major John Lewes, Unattached, late 3rd Regiment.

Lieutenant and Adjutant George Noble Roe, 3rd Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Williams, 4th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Patrick Robertson, 4th Regiment.

Captain James Paton, 4th Regiment.

Colour-Serjeant Thomas Watt, 4th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William West Turner, C.B., Unattached.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur John Pack, half-pay, 7th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Hugh John Hibbert, 7th Regiment.

Captain Frederick Ernest Appleyard, 7th Regiment.

Captain Henry Mitchell Jones, 7th Regiment.

Lieutenant George Henry Waller, 7th Regiment.

1215 Colour-Serjeant Joseph Bell, 7th Regiment.

2740 Private James Raines, 7th Regiment.

Major Henry Ralph Browne, Unattached, late 9th Regiment.

Captain Hopton Bassett Scott, 9th Regiment.

Serjeant William Ryder, 9th Regiment.

Corporal William Cooke, 9th Regiment.

Major George King, 13th Regiment.

Captain George Henry Tylor, 13th Regiment.

Brevet-Major John Dwyer, 14th Regiment.

Serjeant John Macdonald, 14th Regiment.

Lieutenant Joseph Oates Travers, 17th Regiment.

Captain William Dalrymple Thompson, 17th Regiment.

Serjeant John Plant, 17th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Anthony William Samuel Freeman Armstong, 18th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Matthew Jones Hayman, 18th Regiment.

Serjeant John Grant, 18th Regiment.

Major Montagu Hamilton Dowbiggin, Unattached.

Lieutenant William Godfrey Dunham Massey, 19th Regiment.

- Lieutenant-Colonel John Lewis Richard Rooke,
19th Regiment.
- Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Warden, 19th
Regiment.
- Major Robert Onesiphorus Bright, 19th Regiment.
- Brevet-Major Edward Chippindall, 19th Regiment.
- 1651 Private John Lyons, 19th Regiment.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Charles Eveleigh,
20th Regiment.
- Brevet-Major Charles Richard Butler, 20th
Regiment.
- 2760 Serjeant Arthur Rule, 20th Regiment.
- 3313 Private Joseph Brown, 20th Regiment.
- Captain Roger Killeen, 21st Regiment.
- William Henry Carleton, 21st Regiment.
- John George Image, 21st Regiment.
- Arthur Templeman, 21st Regiment.
- 3313 Serjeant James Line, 21st Regiment.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Henry William Bunbury,
C.B., 23rd Regiment.
- Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur James Herbert (now
holding Unattached Substantive Rank.)
- Major Edward William Deddington Bell, 23rd
Regiment.
- Brevet-Major Francis Edward Drewe, 23rd
Regiment.
- 2465 Colour-Serjeant William Stait, 23rd Regi-
ment.
- 2945 Corporal Robert Shiels, 23rd Regiment.
- Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Percy Archer Butler,
28th Regiment.
- Brevet-Major John Guise Rogers Aplin, 28th
Regiment.
- Brevet-Major William Roberts, 28th Regiment.
- Captain Orlando Robert Hamond Orlebar, 28th
Regiment.
- 2632 Private Charles Smith, 28th Regiment.
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- Brevet-Major Francis Topping Atcherley, 30th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major Charles Mengaye Green, 30th Regiment.
 Lieutenant Stamer Gubbins, 30th Regiment.
 Serjeant-Major Richard Nagle, 30th Regiment.
 2422 Private John McCormick, 30th Regiment.
 Major Frederick Spence, 31st Regiment.
 Major Robert John Eagar, 31st Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel George Valentine Mundy, C.B., 33rd Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Elias Collings, 33rd Regiment.
 Major Edward Westby Donovan, 33rd Regiment.
 Brevet-Major John Edward Taubman Quayle, 33rd Regiment.
 Brevet-Major William Pretymen, 33rd Regiment.
 2908 Serjeant William McKay, 33rd Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Cyril Goodenough, 34th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Simpson, 34th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Gwilt, 34th Regiment.
 Serjeant-Major John Mortimer, 34th Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel John William Sidney Smith, 38th Regiment.
 Captain Compton Alwyn Scrase Dickins, 38th Regiment.
 Lieutenant William Kidston Elles, 38th Regiment.
 Assistant-Surgeon William Younge Jeeves, 38th Regiment.
 1510 Private John Scott, 38th Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel William Munro, 39th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major William Leckie, 39th Regiment.
 Captain Ralph Edward Carr, 36th Regiment, late 39th Regiment.

Serjeant-Major Joseph Jobberns, 39th Regiment.

Major George Skipwith, Unattached.

Lieutenant-Colonel Julius Edmund Goodwyn,
41st Regiment.

Brevet-Major Hugh Rowlands, 41st Regiment.

Brevet-Major Lumley Graham, Unattached.

Captain William Allan, 41st Regiment.

Serjeant James O'Neill, 41st Regiment.

Lance-Corporal Peter Stockey, 41st Regiment.

Captain John Chetham McLeod, 42nd Regiment.

Captain John Drysdale, 42nd Regiment.

Assistant-Surgeon William Alexander Mackinnon,
42nd Regiment.

Lieutenant and Adjutant William Wood, 42nd
Regiment.

Colour-Serjeant Charles Christie, 42nd Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Mac Mahon,
44th Regiment.

Brevet-Major John Robinson, 44th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Richard Preston, 44th Regiment.

Assistant-Surgeon John Gibbons, 44th Regiment.

Private Robert Thimbleby, 44th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Maxwell, 46th Re-
giment.

Brevet-Major George Dallas, 46th Regiment.

3492 Private William Bond, 46th Regiment.

3030 Private William Simpson, 46th Regiment.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Henry Lowndes,
47th Regiment.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Villiers, 47th
Regiment.

Brevet-Major Charles Courtney Villiers, 47th Re-
giment.

Brevet-Major Charles Aldersey Stevenson, 47th
Regiment.

Colour-Serjeant John Wilson, 47th Regiment.

Major Frederick West, 48th Regiment.

2730 Corporal Thomas Kelly, 48th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Thornton Grant, C.B.,
49th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Hynde King, 49th
Regiment.

Brevet-Major James William Dewar, 49th Regi-
ment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Cadwallader Adams,
49th Regiment.

Captain Thomas Priaulx St. George Armstrong,
49th Regiment.

Corporal James Butler, 49th Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Waddy, C.B., 50th
Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Lucas Wilton, 50th Re-
giment.

Major Heathfield James Frampton, late 50th Regi-
ment.

Brevet-Major Andrew Campbell Knox Lock, 50th
Regiment.

Colour-Serjeant Angus Macpherson, 50th Regi-
ment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Charles Barnston
Daubeney, C.B., 55th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Robert Hume, 55th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Frederick Cockayne Elton, 55th
Regiment.

Captain John Richard Hume, 55th Regiment.

Captain William Barnston, 55th Regiment.

2612 Drummer and Lance-Corporal Joseph Doyle.

Captain Richard Anderson, 56th Regiment.

Brevet-Major Henry Butler, 57th Regiment.

Captain Gerard John Forsyth, 57th Regiment.

Serjeant-Major George Cumming, 57th Regiment.

2101 Serjeant William Griffith, 57th Regiment.

1782 Joseph Burgess, 57th Regiment.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel James Daubeney, 62nd
Regiment.

Brevet-Major Charles Cooch, 62nd Regiment.

- Captain Edward Henry Hunter, 62nd Regiment.
 Private Joseph Newman, 62nd Regiment.
 Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Harries, 63rd Regiment.
 2616 Serjeant Hawthorn Christopher Elliott, 63rd Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Smyth, C.B., 68th Regiment.
 Captain Thomas De Courcy Hamilton, 68th Regiment.
 Lieutenant Aubrey Harvey Tucker, 68th Regiment.
 Colour-Sergeant Henry Sladden, 68th Regiment.
 2773 Corporal Fletcher, 68th Regiment.
 2330 Private John Ogden, 68th Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Ready, 71st Regiment.
 Major William Hope, 71st Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel William Parke, 72nd Regiment.
 Major Alexander Dalton Thellusson, 72nd Regiment.
 Major William Rickman, Unattached, late 77th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major Henry Robert Carden, 77th Regiment.
 Captain Edward Henry Chawner, 77th Regiment.
 Serjeant-Major Henry Borritt, 77th Regiment.
 1825 Private Thomas Coonin, 77th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William McCall, 79th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major William Chanval Hodgson, 79th Regiment.
 Captain Henry Wotton Campbell, 79th Regiment.
 Lieutenant and Adjutant James Young, 79th Regiment.
 Serjeant William Davie, 79th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Herbert Maxwell, 88th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major Nathaniel Steevens, 88th Regiment.
 Captain George Richard Browne, 88th Regiment.

Captain George Robert Beresford, 88th Regiment.
 2453 Serjeant Thomas Goggins, 88th Regiment.
 3257 Serjeant Joseph Grennan, 88th Regiment.
 Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel Frederick Charles
 Aylmer, 89th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major William Boyle, 89th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major John Macdonald Cuppage, 89th
 Regiment.
 Private John Fisher, 89th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Grove, 90th
 Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Smith, 90th
 Regiment.
 Captain Garnet Joseph Wolseley, 90th Regiment.
 2921 Serjeant Joseph Smaller, 90th Regiment.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Alexander Ewart,
 93rd Regiment.
 Captain Robert Crowe, 93rd Regiment.
 Captain George Cornwall, 93rd Regiment.
 Colour-Serjeant Alexander Knox, 93rd Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Hume, C.B., 95th Re-
 giment.
 Major John Neptune Sargent, Unattached, late
 95th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major Hon. Eyre Challoner Henry Massey,
 95th Regiment.
 Captain George Lynedock Carmichael, 95th Re-
 giment.
 Lieutenant and Adjutant John Sexton, 95th Re-
 giment.
 1829 Private Timothy Abbott, 95th Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Onslow Ingram, 97th
 Regiment.
 Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel Edmund Cornwall
 Legh, 97th Regiment.
 Brevet-Major Charles Henry Lumley, 97th Re-
 giment.
 1886 Colour-Serjeant Peter Lawless, 97th Regi-
 ment.

- 2139 Private Peter John Stone, 97th Regiment.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Arthur Somerset, 1st
 Battalion Rifle Brigade.
 Brevet-Major Hon. Henry Clifford, 1st Battalion
 Rifle Brigade.
 Lieutenant and Adjutant John Brett, 1st Battalion
 Rifle Brigade.
 1174 Serjeant Timothy Murphy, 1st Battalion
 Rifle Brigade.
 Private Francis Wheatley, 1st Battalion Rifle
 Brigade.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Macdonnell,
 C.B., 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.
 Brevet-Major William Augustus Fyers, 2nd Bat-
 talion Rifle Brigade.
 Captain Edward William Blackett, 2nd Battalion
 Rifle Brigade.
 Lieutenant John Simpson Knox, 2nd Battalion
 Rifle Brigade.
 Serjeant John Andrews, 2nd Battalion Rifle Bri-
 gade.
 Brevet-Major Claud Thomas Bouchier, 3rd Bat-
 talion Rifle Brigade.

Royal Artillery

- Lieutenant-Colonel Edwin Wodehouse, C.B.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Francis Strange,
 C.B.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Bruce Hamley.
 Brevet-Major George Thomas Field, Assistant
 Quartermaster-General.
 John Fraser Lodington Baddeley.
 John George Boothby.
 John Singleton.
 Edmund John Carthew.
 John Edward Hope.
 William John Bolton.
 Charles Henry Owen.

Brevet-Major Spencer Delves Broughton.
 John James Brandling, C.B.
 John Turner C.B.
 Edward Moubray.
 William Edmund Moyses Reilly.
 William Windham Augustus Lukin.
 Frederick Miller.
 William James Esten Grant.
 Philip Dickson.
 Roderick Mackenzie.
 Hugh Archibald Beauchamp Campbell.
 William Powell Richards.
 John Spurway.
 William Henry Randolph Simpson.
 Captain Henry Hamilton Conolly.
 Lieutenant Augustus Henry King.
 James Lyons.
 Raynsford Cytherus Longley.
 Henry James Alderson.
 John Edward Ruck-Keene.
 Henry Arbuthnot.
 Stuart Maxwell.
 Arthur Rideout.
 John Andrew Price.
 John Henry Brown.
 Walter Aston Fox Strangways.
 Edwin Markham.
 Charles Edward Torriano.
 William Stirling.
 Ernest Courtenay Vaughan.
 Henry Percy Tillard.
 Legh Delves Broughton
 Francis Walter de Winton.
 Henry John Foquett Ellis Hickes.
 Noel Hamlyn Harris.
 William James Hall.
 Frederick Coulthurst Elton.

Surgeon Stanhope Hunter Fasson, 95th Regiment, late Royal Artillery.

Surgeon William Pearson Ward, 17th Regiment, late Royal Artillery.

2nd Class Staff-Surgeon Thomas Park, late Royal Artillery.

Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Henry Taylor.

Veterinary-Surgeon John Surtees Stockley.

Commissary William Young.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Isaac Lilley.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Arthur Hunt.

Serjeant-Major William Norton.

Quartermaster-Serjeant George Mervin, Royal Horse Artillery.

Company Serjeant Joseph Mitchell, 6th Company, 11th Battalion.

Serjeant Thomas Mitchell, 2nd Company, 8th Battalion.

Serjeant-Conductor John Devine.

George Kerr, 12th Battalion.

Robert Bruce.

Corporal John Hargreaves, 4th Company, 12th Battalion.

Corporal John Stevenson, H. Battery.

Bombardier Hugh Wheatley, 6th Company, 12th Battalion.

Gunner and Driver William Todd, 6th Company, 11th Battalion.

Gunner and Driver William Hendry, 1st Company, 12th Battalion.

Gunner and Driver Robert Burke, 6th Company, 11th Battalion.

Gunner and Driver John Gibbs, 8th Company, 3rd Battalion.

Gunner and Driver John McVeigh, 4th Company, 11th Battalion.

Royal Engineers.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Bent, C.B.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Eustace Fane Bour-
 chier, C.B.
 Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Stanton.
 Brevet-Major James Frankfort Manners Browne,
 C.B.
 Brevet-Major Horace William Montagu.
 Brevet-Major Francis Horatio De Vere.
 Lieutenant Arthur A'Court Fisher.
 Gerald Graham.
 John Clayton Cowell.
 John Fretcheville Dykes Donnelly.
 Howard Craufurd Elphinstone.
 Glastonbury Neville.
 William Christian Anderson.
 Charles Nassau Martin.
 John Mervin Cutcliffe Drake.
 Charles George Gordon.
 Cornet John Landry, late Serjeant, No. 1176,
 Land Transport Corps.

Royal Sappers and Miners.

Colour-Serjeant Henry Macdonald, No. 237.
 Joseph Stanton, No. 861.
 George Jarvis, No. 1,873.
 Serjeant Peter Leitch, No. 763.
 Samuel Cole, No. 2,515, Driver Company.
 Corporal John Paul, No. 1,119.
 2nd Corporal Joseph Collins, No. 2,382.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of *AUGUST 5*,
 1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
 the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for the "better local management of the metropolis," it is amongst other things enacted, that, upon the petition of the Metropolitan Board of Works or of any district board or vestry, representing to Her Majesty in Council, that by reason of the provisions of any local Act of Parliament relating to any district or parish or any part thereof respectively, difficulties have arisen in the execution of the said Act, and of such local Act or either of them, and praying for a suspension or alteration of all or any of the provisions of such local Act, or for the establishment of other provisions in lieu thereof, under this enactment, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, to suspend or alter all or any of the provisions of such local Act, or to make other provisions in relation to the matters thereof as Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, may think necessary under the circumstances of the case; and every such Order in Council shall be laid

before both Houses of Parliament within one month after the making thereof, if Parliament be then sitting, or if Parliament be not sitting, then within one month after the next meeting of Parliament, and shall be published in the London Gazette: Provided always, that no such Order in Council shall remain in force beyond the term of one year from the making thereof:

And whereas, the vestry of the parish of Saint Mary, Islington, have presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council representing that, under the circumstances set forth in the said petition, they have found difficulties, arising by reason of the provisions of the said local Acts therein and hereinafter mentioned, in the execution of the said Metropolis Local Management Act, and praying the suspension of the provisions contained in certain of the sections of the said local Acts, and also praying that all the provisions, powers, and authorities therein respectively contained may be transferred to, vested in, and exercised by the said vestry.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition, and also a memorial of the trustees of the said parish of Saint Mary, Islington, relating thereto, into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to suspend the provisions of the fourteenth section (so far as the same relate to the collection of the parochial rates) and of the thirty-ninth, forty-first, forty-second, forty-sixth, forty-seventh, forty-eighth, and one hundred and forty-sixth sections of the local Act passed in the fifth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth (cap 125) intituled "An Act to repeal several Acts for the relief and employment of the poor of the parish of Saint Mary Islington, in the county of Middlesex; for lighting, and watching, and prevent-

“ing nuisances therein; for amending the road
 “from Highgate through Maiden Lane, and
 “several other roads in the said parish; and for
 “providing a chapel of ease and an additional
 “burial-ground for the same; and to make more
 “effectual provisions in lieu thereof,” and also to
 suspend the provisions of the sixth section of the
 Local Act passed in the second year of the reign
 of His late Majesty King William the Fourth
 (cap. 26) intituled “An Act to equalize the eccle-
 “siastical burthens of the parish of Saint Mary,
 “Islington, in the county of Middlesex; for
 “partially altering the application of the rents and
 “profits of the Stone Fields Estate within the said
 “parish; for letting the pews in the parish church
 “of Saint Mary, Islington, and the Chapel of
 “Ease thereto; and for other purposes connected
 “therewith,” and the said sections and part of
 section are hereby suspended accordingly; and it
 is also ordered that (except as is hereinafter
 directed, all the provisions, powers, and authorities
 in the said sections, and part of section, respec-
 tively contained, be transferred to, vested in, and
 exercised by the vestry of the said parish.

And Her Majesty is further pleased by and
 with the advice aforesaid, to order, and it is here-
 by ordered, that the trustees of the parish of Saint
 Mary, Islington, shall, from time to time, by a
 notice in writing to be signed by their chairman,
 and delivered at the office of the Vestry Clerk of
 the said parish, for the time being, require the
 vestry of the said parish, to levy and pay over to
 the treasurer of such trustees, or into any bank in
 such notice mentioned, and within the time or
 times thereby limited, the sums which such
 trustees may require for defraying the expenses
 payable out of the poor rates of the said parish.

And it is further ordered, that the vestry of

the said parish shall levy the amount mentioned in every such notice and requirement, according to the exigency thereof, and shall for that purpose make an equal pound rate upon the parishioners of the said parish of such amount in the pound on the annual value of the property rateable, as will in their judgment be sufficient to raise the sum specified in such notice and requisition ; and that such vestry shall pay to the treasurer of the trustees the amount mentioned in the notice or requisition, within the time or respective times specified for that purpose ; and that the said vestry shall, at the time of making any such payment, deliver, with the money, a note in writing, under their seal, or the hand of their Vestry Clerk, specifying the amount so paid, which note shall be kept as a voucher for the rest of that particular amount, and the receipt of the treasurer of the trustees, or of any proper officer or person of, or belonging to, any bank into which such money is so paid, specifying the amount paid to him by the vestry, shall be a sufficient discharge to the overseers for such amount.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct, that this order shall remain in force for one year from the date hereof, and no longer.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the Bishop of Exeter, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorising the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the twelfth canonry in the cathedral church of Durham, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

Assigning particular districts

To the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate at Rhos-y-Gwalio, in the parish of Llanfar, in the county of Merioneth, and diocese of Saint Asaph, to be named "The District Chapelry of Rhos-y-Gwalia."

To the consecrated church of Saint Matthias, situate in the parish of Saint George, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and diocese of Worcester, to be named "The District Chapelry of Saint Matthias, Birmingham."

Board of Green Cloth, July 25, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Valentine Augustus Browne, commonly called Viscount Castlerosse, to be Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Archibald William Douglas, commonly called Viscount Drumlanrig, resigned.

Downing-Street, August 1, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute so much of the present diocese of the Bishoprick of New Zealand as comprises all that portion of the

middle Island of New Zealand which lies to the southward of a geographical line drawn across the said middle Island, at the northern boundary of the territory set apart for the Canterbury settlement under the provisions of the Act 13 and 14 Victoria, cap. 70 ; together with the southern Island of New Zealand, and the Auckland Islands, and all adjacent islands lying to the southward of the 43rd degree 5 minutes of south latitude, into a separate and distinct diocese, to be called " The Bishoprick of Christchurch," and to appoint the Reverend Henry John Chitty Harper, D.D., to be ordained and consecrated Bishop of the said diocese.

Whitehall, August 2, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Gilbert Frankland Lewis, M.A., the place and dignity of a Canon of the cathedral church of Worcester, the same being void by the death of the Honourable and Reverend James Somers Cocks, late Canon thereof.

Foreign-Office, August 4, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. James R. Smith, junior, as Consul at Londonderry, for the United States of America.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing a copy

of the following French Imperial Decree, relative to the importation of certain descriptions of iron.

Art. I.—In conformity with the regulations of the ordinance of 28 May, 1843, sheet iron, iron corners, and other articles of iron intended to be employed in the construction of iron ships and boilers for steam engines, will continue to be admitted free of duty, on condition of an engagement by the importers to re-export, within six months, manufactured articles of the nature of those described above, of a weight equal to the weight of the materials admitted to the privilege of the temporary free import.

Art. II.—Such sheet iron, iron corners, &c., cannot be imported, and iron ships and boilers cannot be re-exported, except through established warehousing ports (*entrepôts réels*), and through the offices on the frontier open to transit trade.

Art. III.—All deficiencies will give rise to the application of the penalties imposed by the Art. 3 of the law of the 5th July, 1836.

All discovered deficiencies arising from waste in the manufacture may, however, be considered as involving the payment of the duty attaching to the raw material.

Art. IV.—The regulations of the before-recited ordinance of 1843, which are not re-enacted by the present decree, are abolished.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

Charles James Palmer, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

John Richard Westgarth Hildyard, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th July, 1856.
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Durham Artillery Regiment of Militia.

First Lieutenant Edward Featherstonhaugh to be Captain, vice Stobart, resigned. Dated 30th July, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.**Queen's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Lieutenant-Colonel the Lord Rivers to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant, vice the Earl of Ilchester, resigned. Dated 25th July, 1856.

Captain the Lord Digby to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Lord Rivers, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1856.

Lieutenant John Clavell Mansel to be Captain, vice the Lord Digby, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1856.

Cornet James George John Templer to be Lieutenant, vice Mansel, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1856.

Anthony, Lord Ashley, to be Cornet, vice Templer, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.**Royal North Gloucester Regiment of Militia.*

William Clarke, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Hunt, promoted. Dated 30th July, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 8,
 1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
 the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For making a better provision for the cure of souls in the several parishes of Folkton, Hunmanby, North Burton otherwise Burton Fleming, and Muston, all in the county and diocese of York.

For determining the portion of the improved value to be made payable to the said Commissioners in a certain lease of a coal mine about to be granted by the incumbent of the consolidated chapelry of Saint Martin, Caerphilly, in the county of Glamorgan.

For determining the portion of the improved value to be made payable to the said Commissioners in a certain lease of a coal mine about to be granted by the perpetual curate of the district chapel of Saint James, Chapelthorpe, in the county of York.

For amending and explaining an Order of Her Majesty in Council, relating to the prebend of Shipton-under-Wychwood, in the cathedral church of Salisbury.

Admiralty, 8th August, 1856.

Notice is hereby given, that the officers and men of the Royal Navy and Marines named in the Supplement to the London Gazette of Friday the 1st instant, as having received Her Majesty's permission to accept and wear the insignia of the several classes of the Legion of Honour conferred upon them by His Majesty the Emperor of the French, and who have not already received such insignia, are requested to apply for the same to the Secretary of the Admiralty, Whitehall, between the hours of twelve and four o'clock daily, *commencing on Monday next, the 11th instant.*

Warrant Officers, Petty Officers, and Seamen who have been nominated to the Order, must, on applying for the insignia, produce their certificate of service, and should they be now serving, a written application, duly authenticated by their present commanding officer, will be received in lieu of a personal application.

The Commandant of each division of Royal Marines may depute an officer to receive the insignia for the non-commissioned officers and men of their respective divisions.

Whitehall, August 6, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Millett Davis, of the borough of Liverpool, Gentleman, eldest son and heir of John Davis, of Liverpool aforesaid, by Ann his wife, daughter of William Millett, of the island of Saint Mary, in the Scilly Islands, and sister of William Millett, of Phillack, sometime of Marazion, both in the county of Cornwall, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may hereafter take and use the surname of Millett, in addition to and before that of Davis :

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
8th August, 1856.

1st Regiment of Life Guards. The second Christian name of Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Duncombe is *Wilmer*, and not *William*, as stated in the Gazette of 22nd July, 1856.

11th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant George Ashby Maddock to be Captain, by purchase, vice Inglis, who retires. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Richard Monck to be Adjutant, vice Brevet-Major George, Lord Bingham, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 8th August, 1856.

9th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Renant has been permitted to retire from the Service, by the sale of his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.

19th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Mitford to be Captain, without purchase, vice Major G. W. H. Massey, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal War-rant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 8th August, 1856.

28th Foot, Ensign Frederick Rance, from the 14th Foot, to be Ensign and Adjutant, vice Worthington, promoted. Dated 8th August, 1856.

36th Foot, Ensign Augustus Henry Hartford to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Scarlett, deceased. Dated 30th June, 1856.

- 55th Foot*, Lieutenant W. A. D. Pitt, from the 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Uniacke, who exchanges. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 60th Foot*, Lieutenant N. F. Uniacke, from the 55th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Pitt, who exchanges. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 67th Foot*, William Digby Lloyd, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Welland, promoted. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 72nd Foot*, Dispenser of Medicines James Robert McTurk has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 77th Foot*, Lieutenant John F. B. P. Dodd has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 8th August 1856.
- 84th Foot*. The second Christian name of Ensign Hugh Pearson is *Pearce*.
- 90th Foot*, Lieutenant James Barr has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 92nd Foot*, Ensign Roderick M'Donald Campbell has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 94th Foot*, Lieutenant M. L. V. Reynolds has been permitted to retire from the Service, by the sale of his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.
- 3rd West India Regiment*, Robert Eckford, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Page promoted. Dated 8th August, 1856.

LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

- Captain David S. Ogilvy has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 8th August, 1856.

BREVET.

The following Colonels to have the temporary rank of Major-General while in command of brigades:

Colonel William Freke Williams, Unattached.

Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Robert Garrett, 46th Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Charles Warren, C.B., 55th Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Lord William Paulet, C.B., Unattached. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Duncan Alexander Cameron, C.B., 42nd Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Charles Thomas Van Straubenzee, 3rd Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Honourable Augustus Almorice Spencer C.B., 44th Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel John Lawrenson, 17th Light Dragoons. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel William Parlby, 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Arthur Augustus Thurlow Cunynghame, C.B., half-pay 51st Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Charles Trollope, C.B., 62nd Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Arthur Johnstone Lawrence, C.B., Rifle Brigade. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Horatio Shirley, C.B., half-pay, 88th Foot. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Randal Bumley, Unattached. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Colonel Charles R. Sackville, Lord West, C.B., Provisional Depot Battalion. Dated 8th August, 1856.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Second Lieutenant Edward Willis to be First Lieutenant, vice Johns, deceased.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Harrington Tuke, Esq., M.D., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Rowland Edward Walter Perry Standish, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

James Hodgson Compigné, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Fowler, appointed to the 86th Foot. Dated 2nd August, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

2nd Regiment of the Royal Surrey Militia.

Charles Howard Chaplin, Esq., late Captain in the Turkish Contingent, to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

Warwickshire Militia.

2nd Regiment.

Lieutenant John Digby Wingfield to be Captain,
vice Captain J. R. G. Pattison, deceased.
Dated 12th June, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

George Francis Cooper, Gent., to be Ensign, vice
Hale, promoted. Dated 1st August, 1856.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 12,
1856.*

Whitehall, August 9, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel William Cartwright and Lieutenant-Colonel John Woodford to be Inspectors under the "Act to render more effectual the police in counties and boroughs in England and Wales."

Whitehall, August 11, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto the under-mentioned Officers, Her Majesty's royal licence and permission that they may accept and wear the Military Order of Savoy, conferred upon them by His Majesty the King of Sardinia,

as a mark of His Majesty's approbation of their distinguished services before the enemy during the late war, viz.:

Lieutenant-General Sir William John Codrington,
K.C.B., the Grand Cross of the said Order ;
and unto

Major-General Sir Harry David Jones, K.C.B.,
Major-General Sir Richard James Dacres, K.C.B.,
Major-General Sir Henry William Barnard,
K.C.B.,

Major-General Sir Richard Airey, K.C.B., and
Major-General Charles Ash Windham, C.B.,
the Cross of Commander of the First Class of
the said Order.

The Queen has also been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers Her Majesty's royal licence and permission that they may accept and wear the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, conferred upon them by His Majesty the King of Sardinia, as a mark of His Majesty's approbation of their distinguished services before the enemy during the late war, viz. :

Lieutenant-General Sir Colin Campbell, G.C.B.,
the Grand Cross of the said Order ;
and unto

Major-General Sir John Lysaght Pennefather,
K.C.B., and

Colonel Lord William Paulet, C.B.,
the Cross of Commander of the First Class
of the said Order ;
and to

Colonel the Honourable George Cadogan,
Colonel Thomas Montagu Steele, C.B.,
Colonel the Honourable Percy Egerton Herbert,
C.B.,

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Blane, and

Commissary-General Sir George Maclean, K.C.B.,
the Cross of Commander of the Second Class
of the said Order ;

and to

Deputy Commissary-General William Henry
Drake, C.B., the Cross of Officer of the said
Order.

War-Department, Whitehall-gardens,
8th August, 1856.

Notice is hereby given, that the officers and men in Her Majesty's Army, named in the Supplement to the London Gazette, of Friday the 1st instant, as having received Her Majesty's permission to accept and wear the insignia of the several classes of the Legion of Honour, conferred upon them by His Majesty the Emperor of the French, and who have not already received such insignia, are requested to apply for the same to Henry Elliot, Esq., War-Department, Pall Mall, between the hours of twelve and four o'clock daily, *commencing on Monday next, the 11th instant.*

The insignia for such non-commissioned officers and men as have been nominated to the 5th Class of the Order, and who are now serving with their respective corps, will be delivered to the officers commanding those corps, or to such officers as they may depute to receive them, with a view to their distribution.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 8, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, containing a copy

of an Imperial Decree opening the Custom House of Wissembourg (Bas Rhin), for the importation of

Hides, at 5fr. per 100 kil.

Thread, of linen and hemp.

Machinery (machines mécaniques), complete or in detached pieces.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
12th August, 1856.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Brevet-Colonel John Hill to be Colonel, vice Clarke, retired upon full-pay. Dated 7th July, 1856.

Brevet-Colonel Collingwood Dickson, C.B., from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hill. Dated 7th July, 1856.

Second Captain Edward Taswell to be Captain, vice Rogers, retired on half-pay. Dated 14th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Frederick Thomas Whinyates to be Second Captain, vice Taswell. Dated 14th July, 1856.

Lieutenant John Henry Blackburne to be Second Captain, vice Farmer, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 19th July, 1856.

Brevet-Major John Singleton to be Captain, vice Mowbray, retired on half pay. Dated 21st July, 1856.

Lieutenant William Noel Waller to be Second Captain, vice Singleton. Dated 21st July, 1856.

BREVET.

Colonel Robert Clarke, retired full-pay of the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank to be honorary only. Dated 7th July, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 15,
 1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
 the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the "Foreign Deserters Act, 1852," it is provided, that whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that due facilities are or will be given for recovering and apprehending seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships in the territories of any Foreign Power, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, stating that such facilities are or will be given, declare that seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to a subject of such Power, when within Her Majesty's dominions or the territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships, and may limit the operation of such Order, and may render the operation thereof subject to such conditions and qualifications, if any, as may be deemed expedient.

And whereas it hath been made to appear to Her Majesty, that due facilities will be given for recovering and apprehending seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships in the territories belonging to the Republic of Chile :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by the said "Foreign Deserters Act, 1852," and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to citizens of the Republic of Chile, within Her Majesty's dominions or the territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships: Provided always, that if any such deserter has committed any crime in Her Majesty's dominions, or the territories of the East India Company, he may be detained until he has been tried by a competent Court, and until his sentence (if any) has been fully carried into effect.

And Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by the said "Foreign Deserters Act, 1852," and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is further pleased to order and declare, that upon and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, the Order in Council relating to seamen who desert from merchant ships belonging to citizens of the Republic of Chile, made by virtue of the said Act, on the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and which was published in the London Gazette on the *seventh* day of *March*, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, shall be revoked, and the same is hereby revoked accordingly.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Commissioners for the affairs of India, are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representation made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For regulating the disposition of the fees arising from the publication of banns and solemnization of marriages in the district churches of All Saints Paddock, Saint John Golcar, Saint Mark Longwood, and Saint Stephen Lindley, all in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, and diocese of Ripon.

Foreign-Office, August 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Nathaniel Solomon as Consul at St. Helena for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. A. V. Colvin as Consul at Demerara for the United States of America.

Crown-Office, August 15, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Kerry.

The Honourable Valentine Augustus Browne, commonly called Viscount Castlerosse, of Kenmare House, in the county of Kerry, Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household.

Whitehall, August 7, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William-Huskinson Tilghman, of Earham, in the

county of Sussex, Esquire, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of Eliza-Emily Huskisson, late of Eartham aforesaid, Widow of the Right Honourable William Huskisson, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Huskisson, in addition to and after his present surname of Tilghman, and bear the arms of Huskisson quarterly with his own family arms; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 14, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, enclosing a copy and translation of a law by which vessels entering Portuguese Ports with cargoes of grain are placed upon the same footing with regard to the payment of tonnage duties when departing in ballast as vessels leaving with cargoes of national goods.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
15th August, 1856.*

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major William Neville Custance to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Captain Charles Sawyer to be Major, without purchase, vice Custance. Dated 1st August, 1856.

To be Captains, without purchase.

Captain Henry Brett, from 14th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Captain Charles Potts Rosser, from the 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant Ellis B. Cunliffe, vice Sawyer. Dated 1st August, 1856.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Lieutenant William Oliver Bird, from the 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant James John Neil Buchanan, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant John Wynter James Gifford, from the 3rd Dragoon Guards. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant George Silvester Davies, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles John Heaton Ellis, from 9th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant John Hudson, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles Hill Uniacke, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Lieutenant Augustus Alfred de Bourbel, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August 1856.

Lieutenant Sydney Vyse, from 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Cornet Baker Creed Russell. Dated 1st August, 1856.

To be Lieutenant, by purchase.

Cornet Frederick Shells, vice Murdock, who has retired. Dated 8th August, 1856.

To be Cornet, by purchase.

Henry Reginald Forster, Gent., vice Shells.
Dated 8th August, 1856.

To be Assistant-Surgeon.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles James Davenport, M.D.,
from 66th Foot. Dated 1st August, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Nottingham.**Sherwood Rangers.*

The Right Honourable Henry Pelham Alexander
Pelham Clinton, commonly called the Earl of
Lincoln, to be Cornet, vice Eyre, resigned.
Dated 9th August, 1856.

William Knight Hamilton Ramsay White, Esq.,
to be Cornet, vice Gordon, resigned. Dated
9th August, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Oxford.**Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.*

Lieutenant Frederick Morton Eden to be Captain,
vice Williams, retired. Dated 12th August,
1856.

Ensign Charles James Garstin to be Lieutenant,
vice Eden, promoted. Dated 12th August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
City and County of the City of Edinburgh, and
Liberties thereof.**City of Edinburgh Regiment of Artillery Militia.*

William Downing Bruce, Gent., to be Second
Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant Wingate, whose
Commission has been cancelled. Dated 12th
August, 1856.

NOTICE—"AZOFF" CLASP.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-
House, August 7, 1856.*

HER Majesty having been graciously pleased to grant the "Azoff" Clasp to all Officers and Crews of such Ships as served in the Sea of Azoff between the 25th May, 1855, and the 9th September, 1855, the names of which are under-mentioned, viz.:

HER MAJESTY'S SHIPS

Miranda	Vesuvius	Curlew
Swallow	Stromboli	Ardent
Medina	Wrangler	Viper
Lynx	Recruit	Arrow
Snake	Beagle	Weser
Grinder	Boxer	Cracker
Clinker	Fancy	Jasper
Sulina	Danube	

Also, the first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship Royal Albert; first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship Hannibal; first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship Agamemnon; first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship St. Jean d'Acre; first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship Princess Royal; first and second launch of Her Majesty's ship Algiers.

Notice is hereby given, that all claimants to such Clasp, notwithstanding any previous application, should apply personally, or by letter, with the words "Azoff Clasp" on the outside, to the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

Every applicant must state his rank or rating, and the name of the ship or ships on board which he served.

Where there are several claimants on board the same ship, it would be desirable that they should make their applications in one letter, through their Commanding Officer, by a list, alphabetically arranged, under the names of the ships in which they were serving at the time, and affording the information as above required.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 19,
 1856.

Foreign-Office, August 19, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Gregory O'Neill, as Consul at Cork, for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

Whitehall, August 11, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edward-Henry Sayer, of Cambridge-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, eldest son and heir apparent of Edward-Lane Sayer, of East Hornden, in the county of Essex, Clerk, Master of Arts of St. John's College, in the University of Cambridge, Her Majesty's royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and use the surname of Milward, in addition to and after that of Sayer, and that he and they may bear the arms of Milward, quarterly, in the first quarter, with his and their own family arms, in compliance with a direction contained in a codicil annexed to the last will and testament of his late uncle Henry-Collier Milward (heretofore

Henry-Collier Sayer), of York-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the Herald's office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that this Her Majesty's concession and declaration be registered in Her College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 16, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Russian Minister at this Court, stating that since the evacuation of the Crimea by the Allies, quarantine has been re-established on the coasts of the Black Sea and Sea of Azof.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 16, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Governor of Canada, enclosing a Proclamation issued by him (as set forth in this Gazette), fixing a tariff of charges for towing vessels up the St. Lawrence, by four powerful steam vessels, now under contract to ply in the said River St. Lawrence for the above purposes.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 18, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, announcing the publication of an Edict prohibiting the exportation of corn of all kinds from the Roman States until further orders.

Whitehall, August 15, 1856.

The Queen, taking into Her royal consideration that upon the decease of Edmund, Earl of Cork and Orrery, which happened in the month of June last, the honour and dignity of Earl of Cork and Orrery devolved upon Richard St. Lawrance, now Earl of Cork and Orrery, as eldest son and heir of Charles Boyle, Esq., commonly called Viscount Dungarvon, who died in the month of August, 1834, and who, when living, was the eldest son and heir apparent of the said Edmund, Earl of Cork and Orrery; and that, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the brothers and sisters of the said Richard St. Lawrance, now Earl of Cork and Orrery, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them had their late father, the said Charles Boyle, survived his said father, Edmund, Earl of Cork and Orrery, and had succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Cork and Orrery; Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that William George Boyle, Esq., Edmund John Boyle, Esq., Louisa Caroline Elizabeth Boyle and Mary Emily Boyle, Spinsters, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence, as if their late father, the said Charles Boyle, had

survived his father, the said Edmund, Earl of Cork and Orrery, and had succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Cork and Orrery.

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Department, Pall-Mall,

19th August, 1856.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Richard Dunning Barré Cuninghame, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ponsford, promoted. Dated 19th August, 1856.

1st Dragoons, Daniel Finucane, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Hall, promoted. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Frederic Radford, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Hallifax, who has retired. Dated 20th August, 1856.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Second Captain Richard Oldfield to be Adjutant, vice Campbell, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 10th December, 1855.

Lieutenant Edward Tobias Willoughby Purcell to be Second Captain, vice Hunter, deceased. Dated 21st July, 1856.

The dates of promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be altered as follows, viz.:

Second Captain F. T. Whinyates to 25th June, 1856.

Second Captain J. H. Blackburn to 14th July, 1856.

Second Captain W. N. Waller to 19th July, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon James Balfour Cockburn, M.D., from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Sparke, who resigns. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Albert Hawkins, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Watson, who resigns. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Corps of Royal Engineers, Brevet-Colonel John Isaac Hope to be Colonel, vice Budgen, retired on full-pay. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Brevet-Colonel John William Gordon to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hope. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Second Captain Thomas Inglis to be Captain, vice Gordon. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Second Captain Anthony Reynolds Vyvyan Crease, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Inglis. Dated 1st August, 1856.

3rd Regiment of Foot, Captain Henry William Paget Butler, from the 85th Foot, to be Captain, vice Coussmaker, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

10th Foot, Captain John Cator, from the 68th Foot, to be Captain, vice Jephson, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

16th Foot. The second Christian name of Ensign Brabazon, appointed without purchase on the 8th July, 1856, is Henry.

22nd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Joseph Adrien, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Sawyers, appointed to the 24th Foot. Dated 19th August, 1856.

39th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Gray has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 19th August, 1856.

40th Foot, Paymaster Henry Butler Stoney, from the 99th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Hockings, deceased. Dated 19th August, 1856.

th Foot, Lieutenant William Young to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Locke, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1856.

53rd Foot, Ensign F. J. S. Brockhurst to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lloyd who retires. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Robert Prince, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brockhurst. Dated 19th August, 1856.

54th Foot, Captain Francis George C. Probart, from the 95th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bayly, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

66th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon James Mc Grigor Laing, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Davenport, appointed to the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 19th August, 1856.

68th Foot, Captain Robert George Jephson, from the 10th Foot, to be Captain, vice Cator, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant T. Mowbray Baumgartner to be Captain, by purchase, vice Keogh, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Ensign George Lightfoot Huyshe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Baumgartner. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Nicholas Pennefather, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Huyshe. Dated 19th August, 1856.

85th Foot, Captain Arthur Lannoy Coussmaker, from the 3rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Butler, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

94th Foot, Ensign Poltimore Ridgway to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Reynolds, who has retired. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Charles Butler, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ridgway. Dated 19th August, 1856.

95th Foot, Captain Henry Elliott Bayly, from the 54th Foot, to be Captain, vice Probart, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1856.

98th Foot, Ensign David J. Copeland Jones to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas H. Smith, promoted in the *2nd West India Regiment*. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Charles Graham Heathcote, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Jones. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Nicholas William Butler has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 19th August, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Thomas H. Smith, from the *98th Foot*, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charnock, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Ensign William Cody to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Birch, promoted. Dated 19th August, 1856.

LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Lieutenant Henry Nason, from the Royal Marines, to be Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major William James Gillum, of the *1st Foot*, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th August, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Henry Francis Lynch has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 19th August, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting-Assistant-Surgeons

have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

Robert Dade. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Thomas Henry Burton Crosse. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Frederick Leslie Walker Wright. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Lloyd Herbert. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Nicholas Ffolliott. Dated 19th August, 1856.

William Valentine Brown. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Archibald Dunlop. Dated 19th August, 1856.

BREVET.

Colonel Thomas Budgen, retired full-pay, Royal Engineer, to be a Major-General, the rank to be honorary only. Dated 1st August, 1856.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in the East India Company's Army, consequent on the death of General Sir Jeffrey Prendergast, Knight, Madras Infantry, 4th July, 1856, and General Martin White, Bengal Infantry, 18th July, 1856 :—

Lieutenant-General John MacInnes, Bengal Infantry, to be General. Dated 4th July, 1856.

Lieutenant-General James Fallowfield Salter, C.B., Bombay Infantry, to be General. Dated 18th July, 1856.

Major-General Alexander Dick, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 4th July, 1856.

Major-General William Pattle, C.B., Bengal Light Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 18th July, 1856.

Colonel George Hutton, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 4th July, 1856.

Colonel Andrew Spens, Bengal Infantry, to be Major-General. Dated 18th July, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Service retired upon full-pay to have a step of honorary rank as follows :

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Fulton, Bengal Infantry. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Major John Graham, Bengal Infantry. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Major George Edward Herbert, Bengal Light Cavalry. Dated 19th August, 1856.

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

The Commission of Quartermaster Robert Jones, dated the 30th January, 1855, to take effect from the 13th July, 1854.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

Charles Palmer, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Huntingdon.

Henry Sholto Douglas, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th August, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

2nd Regiment of Derbyshire Militia.

Henry Moore Brownrigg, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Goodwin, promoted. Dated 15th August, 1856.

John Bidwell, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Peat, promoted. Dated 15th August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

2nd Regiment of King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Eyre Trench John Richard Nugent, Esq., to
serve as Adjutant, with the rank of Captain,
from 24th May, 1856. Dated 7th July, 1856.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 22,
1856.*

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council
that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to
Tuesday the seventh day of October next, be
further prorogued to Thursday the thirteenth day
of November next.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act passed in the session of
Parliament holden in the fifteenth and sixteenth
years of the reign of Her present Majesty,
intituled "An Act to enable Her Majesty

“ to abolish otherwise than by treaty, on condition “ of reciprocity, differential duties on foreign “ ships,” it is provided that where it shall appear to Her Majesty that by the laws or regulations of any foreign power, the trade and shipping of Great Britain in the ports of such foreign power have been placed upon the same footing as the trade and shipping of such foreign power, either absolutely or on condition of equal or like benefits being conceded to the vessels of such foreign power in the ports of Her Majesty, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order to be by Her made, with the advice of Her Privy Council, and to be published in the London Gazette, to order and declare that the trade and shipping of such foreign power shall have the benefit of the provisions of the said Act.

And whereas it appears to Her Majesty that by the regulations of the Government of the Two Sicilies, the trade and shipping of Great Britain in the ports of the Two Sicilies have been placed on the same footing as the trade and shipping of the Two Sicilies on condition of equal or like benefits being conceded to the vessels of the Two Sicilies in the ports of Her Majesty.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the power vested in Her by the said recited Act, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that, from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, the trade and shipping of the Two Sicilies shall have the benefit of the provisions of the said recited Act.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 28th day of *July*, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by a certain Act of Parliament, made and passed in the session of Parliament holden in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to remove doubts as to the exercise of power and jurisdiction by Her Majesty within divers countries and places out of Her Majesty's dominions, and to render the same more effectual," it is, amongst other things enacted, that it is and shall be lawful for Her Majesty to hold, exercise, and enjoy any power or jurisdiction which Her Majesty now hath, or may at any time hereafter have, within any country or place out of Her Majesty's dominions, in the same and as ample a manner as if Her Majesty had acquired such power or jurisdiction by the cession or conquest of territory;

And whereas Her Majesty hath power and jurisdiction in the dominions of the Kings of Siam;

And whereas it is expedient at the present time to make provision for the due exercise of the jurisdiction possessed by Her Majesty as aforesaid :

I. Now, therefore, in pursuance of the above-recited Act of Parliament, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that Her Majesty's Consul appointed to reside in the Kingdom of Siam shall have full power and authority to carry into effect, and to enforce, by fine or imprisonment, as hereinafter provided, the observance of the stipulations of any Treaty, or of regulations appended to any Treaty, now existing or which may hereafter

be made between Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, and the Kings of Siam, their heirs and successors, and to make and enforce, by fine or imprisonment, rules and regulations for the observance of the stipulations of such Treaties, and for the peace, order, and good government of Her Majesty's subjects being within the dominions of the Kings of Siam.

II. And it is further ordered, that a copy of all such rules and regulations made by the said Consul shall forthwith be affixed, and kept affixed and exhibited in some conspicuous place in the public office of the said Consul ; and printed copies of the said rules and regulations shall, as soon as possible, be provided by the said Consul, and sold at a price not exceeding one dollar for each copy ; and for the purpose of convicting any person offending against the said rules and regulations, and for all other purposes of law whatsoever, a printed copy of the said rules and regulations, certified under the hand of the said Consul to be a true copy thereof, shall be taken as conclusive evidence of such rules and regulations ; and no penalty shall be incurred, or shall be enforced, for the breach of any such rules or regulations to be hereafter made, until the same shall have been so affixed and exhibited for one calendar month in the public office of the Consul : Provided always, that any such rule or regulation made by Her Majesty's Consul, and to be enforced by a penalty, shall be submitted to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs for allowance or disallowance, and if any such rule or regulation should be disallowed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the same shall cease to have effect from the receipt by the Consul of such disallowance ; nevertheless the Consul shall not be liable to be pro-

ceeded against in any of Her Majesty's Courts in regard to any Act done by him under such rule or regulation previously to its disallowance.

III. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul as aforesaid, upon information, or upon the complaint of any party that a British subject has violated any of the stipulations of Treaties, or of regulations appended to any Treaty, between Her Majesty and the Kings of Siam, or has disregarded or infringed any of the rules and regulations for the observance of the stipulations of such Treaties, affixed and exhibited according to the provisions of the next preceding article of this present Order, to summon before him the accused party, and to receive evidence and examine witnesses as to the guilt or innocence of such party in regard to the offence laid to his charge ; and to award such penalty of fine or imprisonment to any party convicted of an offence against the said treaties, or appended regulations, or the said rules and regulations, as may be specified therein respectively ; and any charge against a British subject for a breach of Treaties or regulations, or for a breach of the rules and regulations for the observance of such Treaties, shall be heard and determined by the Consul, without assessors : Provided always, that in no case shall the penalty to be attached to a breach of the said rules and regulations exceed five hundred dollars, or three months' imprisonment.

IV. And it is further ordered, that any charge against a British subject for a breach of rules and regulations, other than those relating to the observance of Treaties, shall in like manner be heard and determined by Her Majesty's Consul ; and in all cases in which the penalty shall not exceed two hundred dollars or one month's imprisonment, the Consul shall hear and determine the charge sum-
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marily, without the aid of assessors ; but where the penalty attached to a breach of the rules and regulations other than those relating to the observance of Treaties shall amount to more than two hundred dollars, or to imprisonment for more than one month, the Consul, before he shall proceed to hear the charge, shall summon two British subjects of good repute to sit with him as assessors, which assessors shall however have no authority to decide on the innocence or guilt of the party charged, or on the amount of fine or imprisonment to be awarded to him on conviction ; but it shall rest with the Consul to decide on the guilt or innocence of the party charged, and on the amount of fine or imprisonment to be awarded to him : Provided always, that in no case shall the penalty to be attached to a breach of rules and regulations other than those for the observance of Treaties exceed five hundred dollars or three months' imprisonment ; and provided further that in the event of the said assessors or either of them dissenting from the conviction of the party charged, or from the penalty of fine or imprisonment awarded to him by the Consul, the Consul shall take a note of such dissent, with the grounds thereof, and shall require good and sufficient security for the appearance of the party convicted at a future time, in order to undergo his sentence or receive his discharge ; and the Consul shall with as little delay as possible report his decision, with all the particulars of the case, together with the dissent of the assessors or either of them, and the grounds thereof, to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs shall have authority to confirm, or vary, or reverse the decision of the Consul, as to him may seem fit.

V. And it is further ordered, that it shall be

lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to hear and determine any suit of a civil nature against a British subject, arising within any part of the dominions of the Kings of Siam, whether such suit be instituted by a subject of the Kings of Siam or by a subject or citizen of a foreign state in amity with Her Majesty ; and if either, or any, party in such suit shall be dissatisfied with the decision given by such Consul, it shall be lawful for such party within fifteen days to give to the Consul notice of appeal to the Supreme Court in Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore ; whereupon the Consul shall, with as little delay as possible, transmit all the documents which were produced before him and none other, together with a statement of the grounds on which he has formed his decision, to the said Supreme Court, and shall forthwith notify to the several parties the transmission of the process : Provided always, that it shall be lawful for the Consul to require from any party appealing to the said Supreme Court reasonable security, which shall consist in part of one or two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Consul, that such party shall abide by the decision to be given by the said Supreme Court, and, if such appeal shall fail, to answer all costs, loss, and damages sustained by the other party in consequence of such appeal.

VI. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul, in like manner, to hear and determine any suit of a civil nature, arising within any part of the dominions of the Kings of Siam, instituted by a British subject against a subject of the Kings of Siam, or against a subject or citizen of a foreign State in amity with Her Majesty, provided that the defendant in such suit shall consent to submit to his jurisdiction and give sufficient security that he will abide by

the decision of the Consul, or, in case of appeal, by that of the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore, and will pay such expenses as the Consul or the said Supreme Court shall adjudge; and if either or any party in such suit shall be dissatisfied with the decision given by such Consul, it shall be lawful for such party within fifteen days to give to the Consul notice of appeal to the said Supreme Court, and the proceedings in such a suit, or in an appeal arising therefrom, shall be conformable to, and under the same conditions as, the proceedings in a suit, or in an appeal arising therefrom, in which a British subject is defendant, and a subject of the Kings of Siam, or a subject or citizen of a foreign State in amity with Her Majesty, is plaintiff.

VII. And it is further ordered, that in the event of any suit of a civil nature arising between British subjects within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, it shall be lawful, upon the application of a party, for Her Majesty's Consul to hear and determine such suit, subject to an appeal to the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore: and every such appeal shall be made and conducted in the same manner and form, and under the same conditions, as in cases in which the defendant only is a British subject.

VIII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to summon two, and not more than four, British subjects of good repute, to sit with him as assessors at the hearing of any suit whatever of a civil nature brought before him for decision; and in case the sum sought to be recovered shall exceed five hundred dollars, such suit shall not be heard by the Consul without assessors, if within a reasonable time such assessors can be procured; and the assessors aforesaid shall have no authority to decide on the

merits of such suit, but in the event of such assessors, or any or either of them, dissenting from the decision of the Consul, the Consul shall enter the fact of such dissent and the grounds thereof in the minutes of the proceedings, and in case of appeal shall transmit the same to the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore, together with the documents relating to the suit.

IX. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to enforce his decision against a British subject in a civil suit, by distress or imprisonment, in like manner as a decision of the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore in a civil suit is enforced within the said Possession.

X. And it is further ordered, that in an appeal to the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore from the decision of Her Majesty's Consul, it shall be lawful for the said Supreme Court to admit any further legal evidence, besides that adduced before the Consul, on its being established to the satisfaction of the said Supreme Court, by oath or affidavit, that the party desiring to produce such further evidence was ignorant of the existence of such evidence, or was taken by surprise at the hearing before the Consul, or was unable to produce it before the Consul, after due and reasonable diligence and exertion on his part in that behalf, or where, under the circumstances of the case, it shall appear to the said Supreme Court that further evidence ought to be received.

XI. And it is further ordered, that Her Majesty's Consul shall have power in a civil suit to examine on oath, or in such form and with such ceremony as he may declare to be binding on his conscience, any witness who may appear before him, and shall have power, on the application of any party in the said suit, to issue a compulsory

order for the attendance of any person, being a British subject, who may be competent to give evidence in such suit; and any British subject having been duly served with any such compulsory order, and with a reasonable notice of the day of hearing of such suit, upon his expenses of appearing as a witness having been paid or tendered to him by the party at whose application he shall have been ordered to attend, shall, on his wilful default to appear as a witness at the hearing of such suit, be punished with a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, or with imprisonment for a period not exceeding thirty days, at the discretion of the said Consul; and every witness, being a British subject, so examined as aforesaid, in case of wilful false testimony, may be convicted of and punished for the crime of wilful and corrupt perjury.

XII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to promote the settlement of a suit or contention by amicable agreement between the parties, and with the consent of the several parties, to refer the decision of a suit or contention to one or more arbitrators, and to take security from the parties that they will be bound by the result of such reference, and the award of such arbitrator or arbitrators shall be to all intents and purposes deemed and taken to be a judgment or sentence of Her Majesty's Consul in such suit or contention, and shall be entered and recorded as such, and shall have the like effect and operation, and shall be enforced accordingly, and shall not be open to appeal.

XIII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to cause to be apprehended and brought before him any British subject who may be charged with having committed any crime or offence within the dominions

of the Kings of Siam, and such Consul shall thereupon proceed with all convenient speed to inquire of the same, and for such purpose and end shall have power to examine on oath, or in such form and with such ceremony as he shall declare to be binding on his conscience, any witness who may appear before him to substantiate the charge; and shall have power to compel any person being a British subject who may be competent to give evidence as to the guilt or innocence of the party so charged, to appear and give evidence, and to punish the wilful default of any such person to appear and give evidence, after reasonable notice of the day of the hearing of such charge, by fine or imprisonment, in like manner as provided in Article XI of this Order; and shall examine every such witness in the presence and hearing of the party accused, and afford the accused party all reasonable facility for cross-examining such witness; and shall cause the deposition of every such witness to be reduced to writing, and the same to be read over, and, if necessary, explained to the party accused, together with any other evidence that may have been urged against him during the course of the inquiry; and shall require such accused party to defend himself against the charge brought against him, and, if necessary, advise him of the legal effects of any voluntary confession, and shall take the evidence of any witness whom the accused party may tender to be examined in his defence; and every witness, being a British subject, so examined as aforesaid, in case of wilful false testimony, may be convicted and punished for the crime of wilful and corrupt perjury: and when the case has been fully inquired of, and the innocence or guilt of the person accused established to the satisfaction of the Consul, the Consul, as the case may be, shall either discharge the

party accused from custody, if satisfied of his innocence, or proceed to pass sentence on him, if satisfied of his guilt: And it shall be lawful for the Consul, having inquired of, tried, and determined, in the manner aforesaid, any charge which may be brought before him, to award to the party convicted any amount of punishment not exceeding imprisonment for one month, or a fine of two hundred dollars.

XIV. And it is further ordered, that if the crime or offence whereof any person, being a British subject, may be accused before Her Majesty's Consul as aforesaid, shall appear to such Consul to be of such a nature as, if proved, would not be adequately punished by the infliction of such punishment as aforesaid, it shall be lawful for such Consul to summon two, or not more than four, British subjects of good repute, to sit with him as assessors for inquiring of, trying, and determining the charge against such person; and the Consul when he shall try any such charge with the assistance of assessors as aforesaid, shall, if he is himself convinced of the guilt of the party accused, have power to award any amount of punishment not exceeding imprisonment for twelve months, or a fine of one thousand dollars; and the assessors aforesaid shall have no authority to decide on the innocence or guilt of the party accused, or on the amount of punishment to be awarded to him on conviction; but in the event of the said assessors, or any or either of them, dissenting from the conviction of, or from the amount of punishment awarded to the accused party, the said assessors, or any or either of them, shall be authorized to record in the minutes of the proceedings the grounds on which the said assessors, or any or either of them, may so dissent; and the Consul shall forthwith report to Her

Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the fact that such dissent has been so recorded in the minutes of the proceedings, and shall as soon as possible lay before him copies of the whole of the depositions and proceedings, with the dissent of the assessor or assessors recorded therein; and it shall be lawful thereupon for Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, by warrant under his hand and seal addressed to the Consul, to confirm, or vary, or remit altogether, as to him may seem fit, the punishment awarded to the party accused; and such Consul shall give immediate effect to the injunction of any such warrant; provided always, that in any case in which the assessor or assessors shall dissent from the conviction of, or from the amount of punishment awarded to, the accused party, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to take good and sufficient bail from the accused party to appear and undergo the punishment awarded to him, provided the same or any portion thereof is confirmed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, which punishment, or any portion thereof, shall commence to take effect from the day on which the decision of Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs shall be notified to the party accused.

XV. And in order more effectually to repress crimes and offences on the part of British subjects within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, it is further ordered, that it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to cause any British subject who shall have been twice convicted before him of any crime or offence, and punished for the same, and who after execution of the sentence of the Consul on any second conviction shall not be able to find good and sufficient security to the satisfaction of the Consul for his future good be-

haviour, to be sent out of the dominions of the Kings of Siam ; and to this end the Consul shall have power and authority, as soon as may be practicable after execution of the sentence on such second conviction, to send any such twice convicted party, if a native of the territories administered by the East India Company, to Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore, or to some other port of the said territories, or if such party is not a native of the said territories, to England, and in the meanwhile to detain such party in custody, until a suitable opportunity for sending him out of the dominions of the Kings of Siam shall present itself ; and any person so to be sent out of the said dominions as aforesaid shall be embarked in custody on board one of Her Majesty's vessels of war, or if there should be no such vessel of war available for such purpose, then on board any British vessel bound to Singapore, or to some other port in the territories administered by the East India Company, or to England, as the case may be ; and it shall be lawful for the commander of any of Her Majesty's ships of war, or of any British vessel bound to any such port as aforesaid, or to England, to receive any such person as aforesaid under a warrant from the Consul to him addressed, and thereupon to convey him in custody to any such port as aforesaid, or to England, in the same manner as if he were a distressed British subject, unless he shall be willing and able himself to defray the expenses of his passage.

XVI. And it is further ordered, that in any case in which any British subject shall be accused before Her Majesty's Consul of the crime of arson, or house-breaking, or cutting and maiming, or stabbing, or wounding, or assault endangering life, or of wilfully causing any bodily injury dangerous to life, the proceedings before the

Consul shall be carried on with the aid of assessors convened in the manner aforesaid ; and it shall be lawful for the Consul, if to him it shall seem fit, to cause any person convicted before him of any of the crimes aforesaid, over and above any fine or imprisonment which may be awarded to such person, to be sent out of the dominions of the Kings of Siam in the manner pointed out in the next preceding Article of this Order, notwithstanding the crime laid to the charge of such person may be the first of which he has been convicted before the Consul.

XVII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, upon information laid before him by one or more credible witnesses that there is reasonable ground to apprehend that any British subject is about to commit a breach of the public peace, to cause such British subject to be brought before him, and to require such British subject to give sufficient security to keep the peace ; and in the event of any British subject being convicted of and punished for a breach of the peace, to cause such British subject, after he shall have undergone the punishment which may have been awarded to him by the Consul, to find security for his good behaviour ; and in the event of any British subject who may be required, as aforesaid, to give sufficient security to keep the peace, or to find security for his good behaviour, being unable or wilfully omitting to do so, then and in that case it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to send such British subject out of the dominions of the Kings of Siam in the manner pointed out in Article XV of this Order.

XVIII. And it is further ordered, that in all cases in which a British subject shall have been sent out of the dominions of the Kings of Siam,

as provided in Articles XV, XVI, and XVII of this Order, the Consul sending him out shall forthwith report such act of deportation, with the grounds of his decision, to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, or, in a case where the party so deported is a native of the territories administered by the East India Company, to the Governor-General of India.

XIX. And it is further ordered, that in cases of assault it shall be lawful for the Consul before whom complaint is made, to promote reconciliation between the parties, and to suffer compensation and amends to be made, and the proceedings thereby to be stayed.

XX. And it is further ordered, that a minute of the proceedings in every case heard and determined before the Consul in pursuance of this Order, shall be drawn up and be signed by the Consul, and shall, in cases where assessors are present, be open for the inspection of such assessors, and for their signature, if they shall therein concur; and such minute, together with the depositions of the witnesses, shall be preserved in the public office of the said Consul.

XXI. And it is further ordered, that save and except as regards offences committed by British subjects against the stipulations of Treaties between Her Majesty and the Kings of Siam, or against rules and regulations for the observance of the stipulations of such Treaties, duly affixed and exhibited, according to the provisions of Article II of this Order, or against rules and regulations for the peace, order, and good government of Her Majesty's subjects being within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, duly affixed and exhibited as aforesaid, no act done by a British subject being within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, shall by Her Majesty's Consul be deemed and

taken to be a crime or misdemeanour, or offence, rendering the person committing it amenable to punishment, which, if done within any part of Her Majesty's dominions, would not, by a court of justice having criminal jurisdiction in Her Majesty's dominions, have been deemed and taken to be a crime, or misdemeanour, or offence, rendering the person so committing it amenable to punishment; and Her Majesty is pleased to appoint, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore as the place where crimes and offences committed by British subjects within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, which it may be expedient shall be inquired of, tried, determined, and punished within Her Majesty's dominions, shall be so inquired of, tried, determined, and punished, and Her Majesty's Consul resident in the Kingdom of Siam shall have authority to cause any British subject charged with the commission of any crime or offence, the cognizance whereof may at any time appertain to him, to be sent for trial to Her Majesty's said Possession of Singapore.

XXII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to cause any British subject charged with the commission of any crime or offence the cognizance whereof may at any time appertain to him, to be sent, in any of Her Majesty's ships of war, or in any British vessel, to Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore, for trial before the Supreme Court of the said Possession; and it shall be lawful for the commander of any of Her Majesty's ships of war or of any British vessel to receive any such person on board, with a warrant from the said Consul, addressed to the Chief Magistrate of Police of the said Possession, and thereupon to convey him in custody to Singapore, and on his arrival there to deliver him, with the

said warrant, into the custody of the said Chief Magistrate of Police, or other officer within the said Possession lawfully acting as such, who, on the receipt of the said warrant and of the party therein named, shall be authorized to commit, and shall commit such party so sent for trial to the common gaol of the said Possession, and it shall be lawful for the keeper of the said common gaol to cause such party to be detained in safe and proper custody, and to be produced upon the order of the said Supreme Court; and the Supreme Court, at the sessions to be next holden, shall proceed to hear and determine the charge against such party in the same manner as if the crime with which he may be charged had been committed within Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore.

XXIII. And it is further ordered, that Her Majesty's Consul, on any occasion of sending a prisoner to Singapore for trial, shall observe the provisions made with regard to prisoners sent for trial to a British colony in an Act passed in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to remove doubts as to the exercise of power and jurisdiction by Her Majesty within divers countries and places out of Her Majesty's dominions, and to render the same more effectual."

XXIV. And it is further ordered, That the Supreme Court of Her Majesty's Possession of Singapore shall have and may exercise, concurrently with Her Majesty's Consul, authority and jurisdiction in regard to all suits of a civil nature between British subjects arising within any part of the dominions of the Kings of Siam; Provided always, that the said Supreme Court shall not be bound, unless in a fit case it shall deem it right so to do, by writ of certiorari or otherwise, to debar or prohibit the Consul from hearing and deter-

mining, pursuant to the provisions of the several Articles of this Order, any suit of a civil nature between British subjects, or to stay the proceedings of the Consul in any such matter.

XXV. And it is further ordered, that all fines and penalties imposed under this Order may be levied by distress and seizure and sale of ships, and goods and chattels; and no bill of sale, mortgage or transfer of property made after the apprehension of a party, or with a view to security in regard to crimes or offences committed or to be committed, shall avail to defeat any of the provisions of this Order.

XXVI. And it is further ordered, That it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul from time to time to establish rules of practice to be observed in proceedings before the said Consul, and to make regulations for defraying the expenses of witnesses in such proceedings and the costs of criminal prosecutions, and also to establish rates of fees to be taken in regard to civil suits heard and determined before the said Consul, and it shall be lawful for the said Consul to enforce by seizure and sale of goods, or, if there be no goods, by imprisonment, the payment of such established fees, and of such expenses as may be adjudged against the parties, or either or any of them: Provided always, that a table, specifying the rates of fees to be so taken, shall be affixed and kept exhibited in the public office of the said Consul.

XXVII. And it is further ordered, that all fees, penalties, fines, and forfeitures levied under this Order, save and except such penalties as may by Treaty be payable to the Siamese Government, shall be paid to the public account, and be applied in diminution of the public expenditure on account of Her Majesty's Consulate in Siam: Provided always, that in the event of the Siamese authori-

ties declining to receive fines payable to the Siamese Government as aforesaid, the same shall be paid to the public account, and applied in the manner last mentioned.

XXVIII. And it is further ordered, that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty's Consul to grant probate of the will or letters of administration to the intestate estate of a British subject deceased, and leaving property within the Kingdom of Siam ; and in the case of a party so deceased either leaving a will, or intestate, it shall be lawful for the Consul, provided that probate of the will or letters of administration to the estate of the party deceased shall not have been applied for within thirty days by any person lawfully entitled thereto, to administer to such estate, and to reserve to himself out of the proceeds of such estate a commission not exceeding two and a-half per centum.

XXIX. And it is further ordered, that a register shall be kept by Her Majesty's Consul, of all British subjects residing within the Kingdom of Siam, and that every British subject now residing within the dominions of the Kings of Siam who shall not be already enrolled in such Consular register, shall, within a reasonable time after the promulgation of this Order, to be specified in a notice to be affixed and publicly exhibited in the Consular Office, apply to the Consul to be enrolled in such register ; and every British subject who may arrive within the said dominions, save and except any British subject who may be borne on the muster-roll of any British ship arriving in a port of Siam, shall within a reasonable time after his arrival, to be specified as aforesaid, apply to the Consul to be enrolled in such register ; and any British subject who shall refuse or neglect to make application so to be enrolled, and who shall not be able to excuse, to the

satisfaction of the said Consul, such his refusal or neglect, shall not be entitled to be recognized or protected as a British subject in any difficulties or suits whatsoever, in which he may have been involved within the dominions of the Kings of Siam within the time during which he shall not have been so enrolled.

XXX. And it is further ordered, that Her Majesty's Consul may exercise any of the powers which by any Acts of the Imperial Parliament now enacted or hereafter to be enacted for the regulation of merchant seamen, or for the regulation of the mercantile marine, may be exercised by one or more justices of the peace within Her Majesty's dominions.

XXXI. And it is further ordered, that nothing in this Order contained shall be taken or construed to preclude Her Majesty's Consul within the dominions of the Kings of Siam from performing any act of administration or jurisdiction, or other act which British Consuls within other States at amity with Her Majesty are by law, usage, or sufferance, enabled to perform.

XXXII. And it is further ordered, that any suit or action brought against Her Majesty's Consul by reason of anything done under the authority and in execution of the power or jurisdiction of Her Majesty entrusted to him by this Order, shall be commenced or prosecuted within six months after he shall have been within the jurisdiction of the Court in which the same may be brought, and not otherwise, and the defendant in every such action or suit shall be entitled to the benefit of the provisions made with respect to defendants in actions or suits, in an Act passed in the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act to remove doubts as to the exercise of power and jurisdiction by Her Majesty within divers coun-
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tries and places out of Her Majesty's dominions, and to render the same more effectual."

XXXIII. And it is further ordered, that the term "Consul" in this present Order shall be construed to include all and every officer in Her Majesty's service, whether Consul-General, Consul, Vice-Consul, or Consular Agent, or person duly authorized to act in any of the aforesaid capacities within the dominions of the Kings of Siam, and engaged in carrying out the provisions of this Order; and that wherever in this Order, with reference to any person, matter, or thing, any word or words is or are used importing the singular number, or the masculine gender only, yet such word or words shall be understood to include several persons as well as one person, females as well as males, and several matters or things as well as one matter or thing, unless it be otherwise specially provided, or there be something in the subject or context repugnant to such construction.

XXXIV. And it is further ordered, that this Order shall take effect from and after the first day of December next ensuing.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Clarendon, and the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

C. C. Greville.

Whitehall, August 20, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Edward Strutt, and to the heirs male of his

body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Belper, of Belper, in the county of Derby.

St. James's Palace, August 20, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Frederick Temple, M.A., one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools, to be one of the Chaplains in Ordinary to Her Majesty.

Downing-Street, August 16, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Robert Duncan Wilmot, Esq., to be Provincial Secretary, John Hamilton Gray, Esq., to be Attorney-General, and John Campbell Allen, Esq., to be Solicitor-General, for the Province of New Brunswick.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint the Venerable Hugh Willoughby Jermyn, Arch-deacon of the Island of St. Christopher, to be a Member of the Council of that Island; Algernon Montagu, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of the Colony of Sierra Leone; Thomas Warwick Brooke, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Falkland Islands; and Captain Henry Charles Bird and Robert Dawson, Esq., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.

Downing-Street, August 20, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Isaac Farrington, Esq., to be a non-elective Member of the Legislative Council of the Virgin Islands; Burnthorn Musgrave, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of the Island of Antigua; Ernest Baudot and James Edward Arbuthnot, Esqrs., to be

Members of the Council of Government of the Island of Mauritius; and Charles Montocchio, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of Government of the said island during the temporary absence of Dr. Harel, a Member of that Board.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
22nd August, 1856.

54th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir William J. Codrington, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General William Alexander Gordon, C.B., deceased.
Dated 11th August, 1856.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
22nd August, 1856.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Major Lord George Augustus Beauclerk, from the 10th Light Dragoons, to be Major, without purchase.
Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Lieutenant Thomas Bott to be Captain, by purchase, vice Norbury, who retires. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Cornet John William Doering to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bott. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

James St. Cair Glasson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Doering. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

7th Dragoon Guards, William Digby Wentworth, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cleland, promoted. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

6th Dragoons, Robert Ashworth Godolphin Cosby, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Hall, who has retired. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Captain Robert Campbell, from the 34th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bond, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Cornet J. Herbert R. Stoddart, from the 2nd Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Morant, promoted. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward Mason Wrench (Superannumerary in the 34th Foot), to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William Spicer Cookworthy to be Captain, without purchase, vice Gillum, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

5th Foot, Captain Arthur Scott, from the 34th Foot, to be Captain, vice Colquitt, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

8th Foot, Captain de Vic Tupper, from the 38th Foot, to be Captain, vice Garnett, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

15th Foot, Major John A. Cole to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Pinder, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 25th August, 1856.

Brevet-Major Henry Grierson to be Major, without purchase, vice Cole. Dated 25th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Richard Roxborough Moore to be Captain, without purchase, vice Grierson. Dated 25th August, 1856.

Ensign Francis Ball to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Moore. Dated 25th August, 1856.

19th Foot, Ensign Cranmer Kenrick has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

22nd Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Andrew Leith Adams, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice MacIise, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

34th Foot, Captain J. W. Colquitt, from the 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice Scott, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Captain Ralph Shelton Bond, from the 12th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Campbell, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Ensign Mark Burgh Rochfort has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

36th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Stronge Gilbert, from the Donegal Militia Artillery, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hartford, promoted. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

38th Foot, Captain Alfred Ingilby Garnett, from the 8th Foot, to be Captain, vice De Vic Tupper, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Ensign William Duff Pereira has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

42nd Foot, Ensign James Spalding Mackay has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

51st Foot, Edward Dudley Oliver, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lambert, who retires. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

62nd Foot, Surgeon Frederick William Tupper, from the 66th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Hanley, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

66th Foot, Surgeon Dudley Hanley, M.D., from the 62nd Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Tupper, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

77th Foot, Lieutenant William Seward Le Feuvre, to be Adjutant, vice Waters, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Ceylon Rifles, George Gandy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Staples, promoted. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon William Maclise, from the 22nd Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Adama, who exchanges. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, their services being no longer required :

William Frederick De Fabeck. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Harry Dacre Dean. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Herbert Beresford. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

William Daniel Michell. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Thomas Norton Hoysted. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Frederick John Robinson. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer having completed three years' actual service on the 27th May, 1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be promoted to be Colonel in the Army :

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Renny, 81st Foot. Dated 27th May, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Pinder, retired full-pay of the 15th Foot, to be Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 25th August, 1856.

The undermentioned promotions to take place consequent upon the death of the following Officers :

General Sir John Wilson, K.C.B., died 22nd June, 1856 ;

General the Earl of Cork, K.P., died 29th June, 1856 ;

Lieutenant-General Philip Hay, died 8th August, 1856 ;

Colonel W. S. Balfour, Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hervey Hopwood, Grenadier Guards, to be Colonel. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Major Henry Garner Rainey, 61st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Captain Sydney Augustus Capel, half-pay 51st Foot, Staff-Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

General Sir George Brown, G.C.B., the Senior Supernumerary of his rank promoted for distinguished service, has been placed upon the fixed establishment of Generals, in succession to the vacancy occasioned by the decease of the following Officers ;

General Sir G. P. Adams, died 10th June, 1856 ;

General R. Ellice, died 18th June, 1856 ;

General Sir J. Wilson, K.C.B., died 22nd June, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

ERRATUM in the Gazette of May 11, 1855.

For Colonel George Bell, from the 1st Foot, to be Inspecting Field Officer of a Recruiting District, vice *Col. Michel, C.B., appointed to the Turkish Contingent Force.* Dated 1st May, 1855,

Read, vice *Michel, who retires on half-pay of the 98th Foot.*

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Salop.*

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Thomas Meyrick Charlton to be Lieutenant, vice Stubbs, appointed to an Ensigncy in the Line. Dated 19th August, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Edinburgh or Mid-Lothian.*

Edinburgh or Mid-Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet William Maximilian George Welwood Maconochie to be Lieutenant, vice Drummond, resigned. Dated 8th August, 1856.

John Alexander Burn Callender, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Maconochie, promoted. Dated 8th August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kincardine.*

*Forfar and Kincardine Regiment of Militia
Artillery.*

Second Lieutenant John Gray to be First Lieutenant, vice Brown, appointed to the 35th Regiment of the Line. Dated 8th August, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage" certain scales of weight and rates of postage were fixed and made chargeable and payable upon, for, or in respect of letters, newspapers, parliamentary proceedings, and printed papers transmitted and forwarded by the post, and various regulations were made for facilitating the trans-

mission of such letters and papers by the post. And by the same Act powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury from time to time, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of postage therein mentioned.

And whereas, further powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by an Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office."

And whereas, by a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, dated the 4th day of June, 1855, it was ordered and directed that packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art might be transmitted by the post within the United Kingdom, subject to the several rates of postage and regulations therein contained.

And whereas it is expedient that the said Warrant should be repealed, and that such other rates of postage should be charged, and such other regulations made with respect to certain packets sent by the post as are hereinafter contained :

1. Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers vested in us in and by the said before-mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided), order and direct that the said Warrant, dated the 4th day of June, 1855, and the several rates of postage, and the several orders, directions, and regulations therein mentioned and set forth

relating to the transmission by the post of packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art within the United Kingdom shall cease and determine and shall be, and the same are hereby repealed and revoked; nevertheless, no Treasury Warrant repealed by the said Warrant of the 4th day of June, 1855, shall be revived by this Warrant.

2. And we do further order and direct, that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, posted in the United Kingdom, may be transmitted by the post within the United Kingdom, subject to the several rates and regulations hereinafter contained; that is to say:

On every such packet, if not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of one penny.

And on every such packet, if exceeding four ounces and not exceeding eight ounces in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of two pence.

And on every such packet, if exceeding eight ounces and not exceeding one pound in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of four pence.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and not exceeding one pound and one half of another pound in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of sixpence.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and one half of another pound, and not exceeding two pounds in weight, there shall be charged and taken one uniform rate of postage of eight pence.

And for every additional half of a pound in weight of any such packet, above the weight.

of two pounds, there shall be charged and taken an additional rate of postage of two pence.

And every fractional part of every such additional half of a pound in weight shall be charged as one half of a pound in weight.

3. And we do further order and direct, that no such packet, which in length, or width, or depth, shall exceed the dimensions of two feet, shall be forwarded by the post under the provisions aforesaid.

4. And we do further order and direct that the postage of all such packets as aforesaid shall in every case be paid at the time of the same being posted, not in money, but by being duly stamped with the proper postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed or appear on the outside of every such packet, near the address or direction, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage duty payable thereon under or by virtue of this Warrant, unless any such packet be sent from any department or office in or connected with the public service of Her Majesty which shall keep a postage account with the General Post-office, in London, in which case the same shall be forwarded post paid, and the postage thereof shall be charged on such postage account.

5. And we do further order and direct, that for the purposes of this Warrant, the terms "books, "publications, or works of literature or art" shall mean, comprise, and include all books (whether printed, written, or plain), publications, or compilations (whether in print or in manuscript), almanacks, prints, maps (whether on paper, or canvass, or cloth, and whether printed or written), printed or lithographed letters, and any description

of paper, parchment, or vellum (whether printed, lithographed, written upon, or plain, or any mixture of the four), together with any binding, mounting, or covering of, or upon, or belonging to any book, or publication, or work, or any portion thereof, or of, or belonging to any paper, parchment, or vellum, and any cases or rollers of prints or maps, book markers (whether of paper or otherwise), pencils, pens, or other articles usually appertaining to any such book, publication, or work, paper, parchment, or vellum, or necessary for its safe transmission, except where any such packet shall be transmitted by the post upon or in respect of which a less rate of postage than a minimum rate of four pence shall be paid, and in all cases where any such packets shall be transmitted by the post upon or in respect of which a less rate of postage than a minimum rate of four pence shall be paid, every such packet shall consist of and comprise all such before-mentioned books, publications or compilations, almanacks, prints, maps, letters, paper, parchment, or vellum only as shall be printed or lithographed, or contain printed or lithographed matter only (whether bound or unbound), and shall not comprise, extend to, or include any packet consisting of or containing any writing (except the address), nor any cases or rollers of prints, or maps, or book markers, pencils, pens, or other articles.

6. And we do further order and direct, that every such packet shall be sent open at the ends or sides, and either without a cover or in a cover or envelope open at the ends or sides, and that there shall be no written letter, either closed or open, nor any written communication in the nature of a letter, nor any enclosure sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, nor any other enclosure not authorized by this Warrant, sent in

or with any such packet ; nor shall there be any written letter, or any written communication in the nature of a letter, in or upon any such packet, or on the cover or envelope thereof ; nor (unless a minimum rate of postage of four pence shall be paid upon or in respect of such packet) any writing whatever in or upon any such packet, or upon the cover or envelope thereof, except the address.

7. And, in order to prevent any obstacles to the due and regular transmission of letters by the post, We do further order and direct, that it shall be lawful for any officer of the Post-office to delay the transmission of any packet posted or forwarded by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, for the space of twenty-four hours after the time at which the same ought to be dispatched in due course of the post, or (at his option) until the dispatch of the mail next after that by which the same ought, in due course of the post, to be forwarded by him.

8. And we do further order and direct, that the transmission of the packets aforesaid, under this present Warrant, shall be restricted to such as shall be sent by the post between places within the United Kingdom and by the post of any post-town in the United Kingdom. And that nothing herein contained shall be construed to extend to, interfere with, or in any wise to affect, any privileges relating to the transmission by the post of printed votes and proceedings of Parliament sent by the post under the regulations prescribed by the said Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, or of printed newspapers sent by the post under and pursuant to certain orders and regulations made by the Post-master-General for the transmission by the post of printed newspapers and certain periodical pub-

lications, and dated the 24th day of December, 1855. Nevertheless, any printed votes and proceedings of Parliament, or printed newspapers, which are not authorized to be transmitted by the post under the said respective regulations, may be transmitted by the post, at the rates of postage and under the regulations contained in this Warrant, nor shall this present Warrant be construed to extend to any packet sent by the post between the United Kingdom and places beyond the seas.

9. And we do further order and direct, that if any packet, or the cover or envelope of any packet sent or tendered or delivered in order to be sent by the post, under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall not be open at the ends or sides, or shall in length or width or depth exceed the dimensions of two feet, or if there shall be any written letter, or any written communication in the nature of a letter, in or upon any such packet, or on the cover or envelope thereof, every such packet shall and may be detained and opened, and, at the option of the Postmaster-General, shall be either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or be given up to the person to whom it shall be addressed, or be forwarded to the place of its destination, and every such packet, on being so returned, given up, or forwarded, shall be chargeable with a postage of double the amount of postage to which it would have been liable as a letter if the postage had been paid by stamps when posted, and such double postage may be either paid by the sender, or be charged to the person to whom such packet shall be forwarded.

10. And we do further order and direct, that if any packet sent or tendered, or delivered in order to be sent by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, shall contain any writing whatever (such writing not being a letter or any com-

munication in the nature of a letter), either enclosed in or written upon any such packet, or upon the cover or envelope thereof (except the address), and a rate of postage less than a minimum rate of four pence shall have been paid upon or in respect of such packet, every such packet shall be forwarded charged with the amount of the difference between the postage paid thereon and the postage to which such packet would be liable as a book packet, under this Warrant, together with a further and additional rate of four pence.

11. And we do further order and direct, that if any packet sent or tendered, or delivered in order to be sent by the post under the provisions of this Warrant shall contain any written letter or any written communication in the nature of a letter, whether closed or open, or any enclosure sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, or any other enclosure not authorised by this Warrant, every such letter or communication, or enclosure, may be taken out by any officer of the Post-office, and forwarded to the address on the packet, charged not only with the full rates of postage as an unpaid letter, but also with a further and additional rate of four pence, and the remainder of the packet, if duly prepaid by stamps, may be forwarded to the place of its address without any extra charge.

12. And we do further order and direct, that if any packet sent or tendered, or delivered, in order to be sent by the post under the provisions of this Warrant (any such packet sent from any department or office in, or connected with the public service of Her Majesty's, which shall keep a postage account with the General Post-office in London, and the postage thereof being charged in such account only excepted) shall be posted, having thereon or affixed thereto a stamp or stamps, the

value of which shall be less in amount than the rate of postage to which such packet would be liable under and by virtue of the several regulations, orders, directions and conditions hereinbefore contained, but equal in amount to one penny at the least, every such last mentioned packet shall be forwarded, charged with the amount of the difference between the value of such stamp or stamps, so being thereon or affixed thereto, and the postage to which such packet would be liable as aforesaid, together with a further and additional rate of four pence. And if any such packet shall be posted without having thereon or affixed thereto any postage stamp, every such last mentioned packet shall and may be detained and opened at any place in the United Kingdom, and at the option of the Postmaster-General shall be dealt with and chargeable in like manner as hereinbefore directed, with respect to any packet not open at the ends or sides, or exceeding in length, or width, or depth, the dimensions of two feet.

13. And we do hereby further order and direct, that in every case in which the postage chargeable on any packet under the provisions of this Warrant shall exceed the rates of postage to which any such packet would be liable as a letter, no higher amount than the letter rates shall be charged thereon.

14. And we do hereby further order and direct, that the several packets transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be subject to the several orders, directions, regulations and rates of postage, respectively, contained in a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1855, relating to redirected rates of postage upon letters and packets which

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shall be redirected and again forwarded by the post, so far as the same are applicable to such packets.

15. And we do further order and direct, that the terms and expressions used in this Warrant, shall be construed to have the like meaning, in all respects, as they would have had if inserted in the said Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

16. And we do further order and direct, that this Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of September, 1856.

17. And we do further order and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant duly made at any time hereafter, to alter or repeal any of the rates of postage hereby fixed or altered, or any of the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates of postage or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates of postage that may be payable are to be paid.

Whitehall, Treasury-chambers, the 14th day of August, 1856.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas an Act of Parliament was passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage."

And whereas another Act of Parliament was passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post and for the regulating the duties of postage

thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office."

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to them in and by the said two before-mentioned Acts, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, did, by a certain Warrant in writing, under the hands of two of them the said Commissioners, and by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, order and direct that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament or the Colonial Legislatures might be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the several places mentioned and set forth in the Schedule B to the said now reciting Warrant annexed, and that all such respective packets should be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions thereafter mentioned and contained, and that the single rate of postage for the transmission thereof should be that which was mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively in the said Schedule B, and that all such respective packets so transmitted should be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage thereafter mentioned.

And whereas it is expedient to extend the provisions of the said recited Warrant, of the 22nd day of February, 1855, except as hereinafter mentioned, to packets of a like kind to be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Turks Islands.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said two hereinbefore recited Acts of Parliament, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order and direct, that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, or any of the Colonial Legislatures, may be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Turks Islands, and that on every such packet so transmitted under the provisions of this Warrant as aforesaid, if not exceeding half a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, for the transmission thereof as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage of sixpence; and that on every such packet exceeding half a pound in weight there shall be charged, taken, and paid such progressive and additional rates of postage as are directed to be charged, taken, and paid, on and in respect of the several packets mentioned and contained in, and authorized to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of, the said recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855.

And we do further order and direct, that all such respective packets to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions, contained in the said recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, with respect to the several packets therein mentioned, except such as relate exclusively to

packets posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales, addressed to the United Kingdom, and that all such respective packets so to be transmitted under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall be subject as well to the several progressive and additional rates of postage aforesaid, as also to the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except as aforesaid), respectively mentioned, expressed, and contained in and by the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, in like manner in all respects, and as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the said several progressive and additional rates of postage and the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except such only as relate exclusively to packets posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales, addressed to the United Kingdom), respectively mentioned and contained in the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, were contained, inserted, expressed, and repeated in this present Warrant, and as if the said colony of Turks Islands, with a single rate of postage of six pence set forth against such colony, had been and was mentioned and contained and included in the said Schedule B, annexed to the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855.

And we do further order and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant duly made at any time hereafter, to alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the regulations hereby made, and to

make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

And we do further order and direct, that so far as regards any such packets posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Turks Islands, this Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of October next, and that so far as regards any such packets posted in Turks Islands, addressed to the United Kingdom, this Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of November next.

Whitehall, Treasury-chambers, the 15th day of August, 1856.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 26,
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AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,*
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the scheme duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For assigning the right of patronage of the district or new parish of Saint Thomas, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, and diocese of Winchester.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order with reference to the representations made by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (as set forth in this Gazette), that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any of the under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued with the following modifications, from and after the fifth of September next (except as is herein otherwise directed), as follows, viz. :—

STOKE-UPON-TRENT. — In the churchyard and burial-ground of *St. John's Hanley*, in the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent (except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without disturbing soil which has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and entombed in an air-tight manner); and also in the burial-grounds of *Hope Chapel*, of the *Tabernacle*, of the *Bethesda* and of the *Brunswick Chapels*, except in vaults and walled graves, used with the above precautions, and except in graves never previously opened, one body only being buried in each. In the *Parish Church* and churchyard of *Stoke-upon-Trent*, and in the churches and churchyards of *Etruria*, *Penkhull*, *Northwood*, *Fenton* and *Bucknall*, all in the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and

in other graves except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz.: no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which case half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. STOCKPORT.—In the additional churchyard or new burial-ground of *St. Mary's Stockport*, except in now existing vaults or walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been already buried in and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in the meantime, except in such vaults and walled graves, no more than one body to be buried in a grave, and no interment to take place in any grave without a covering of at least four and a half feet of earth, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the level of the ground. LONGTON, STAFFORDSHIRE.—In the churches of *St. James* and *St. John*, and also in *St. James's* and *St. John's Churchyards*, Longton, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in other graves except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations; viz.: no coffin to be less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened unless to bury

another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. **BURSLEM.**—In *St. John's* and *St. Paul's Churchyards*, and in the *Baptist Burial-ground*, Burslem, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in other graves except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz.: no coffin to be less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. **WELLINGBOROUGH.**—Beneath the *Parish Church* of Wellingborough (except in the vault of Mr. Burnham, in the south porch of the church, which may be used provided that each coffin to be interred in such vault be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner), and in the *Friends' Burial ground* within five yards of all dwelling-houses; and (with the exception of existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of pow-

dered charcoal four inches thick and be separately entombed) from and after the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *parish churchyard* and in the burial-grounds of the *Independent Chapel, Cheese-lane*; of the *Independent West End Chapel*; of *Salem Chapel*; and of the *Baptist Chapel*.

Also WAKEFIELD.—In the Catacombs beneath *St. John's Church*, and in the *churchyard* lying on the north and west sides of the church; that in the churchyard lying on the south and east sides of the church, with the exception of family vaults and graves, only one body be buried in each grave, and that, with the same exception, no grave be reopened; that burials be forthwith discontinued beneath the *Parish Church, Zion Chapel, Salem Chapel, Horbury Church*, and (except in existing vaults and brick graves, which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be separately entombed in an air-tight manner), in the *Old Churchyard; Alverthorpe Church; Stanley Church*; the *Unitarian Chapel, Westgate*; in the *Old Burial-ground, Westgate-end*; in *Westgate Chapel-yard*; and in the *Wesleyan Burial-ground*, within ten yards of all dwelling-houses; That in *Thornes Churchyard, Alverthorpe Churchyard*, and *Stanley Churchyard* (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave; that in *Westgate Chapel Cemetery* and in the *Wesleyan and Friends' Burial-grounds* (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave, and that (with the same exception), no grave be re-opened; that from and after the first of May, one thousand eight

hundred and fifty-seven, burials be discontinued in the *Parish Churchyard and Vicarage Croft*; in *St. Andrew's Churchyard*; in the burial-grounds of the *Baptist Chapel, Zion Chapel, Salem Chapel*, and in the *Old Friends' Burial-ground*; That from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (with the exception of existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be separately entombed in an air-tight manner), burials be discontinued in the *New Burial-ground of Horbury*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Wesleyan and Primitive Methodist Chapels, Horbury*; that in all the above-named burial-grounds no interment shall take place in any grave without a covering of earth four feet in thickness at the least, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground. WEST BROMWICH.—In *All Saints' Parish Church* and in the *Baptist Burial-ground, West Bromwich*; and from and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in *All Saints' Churchyard*, in *Christ Churchyard*, and in *Holy Trinity Churchyard*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Ebenezer and Mares-green Independent Chapels*, and of the *Wesleyan Chapel*, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in other graves except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz., no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be re-opened within

a period of fourteen years of the previous burial, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. **WILLENHALL.**—In the *Church* of Willenhall, and also (except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner), in the *Wesleyan Chapelyard*; also that interment be discontinued in the *Cholera Burial-ground* and *Baptist Chapel Burial-ground* forthwith, except in vaults and walled graves used with the above precautions, and in other graves never previously opened, one body only to be buried in each; also that interment be forthwith discontinued in the *Wesleyan Cemetery*, except in vaults and walled graves used with the above precautions, and in other graves, so far as is compatible with the observances of the following regulations, viz., no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be re-opened within a period of fourteen years of the previous burial, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. **SOUTHERY, Norfolk.**—In the *Parish Church* of Southery, and from and after the first of

April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, with the exception of existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be separately entombed in an air-tight manner, in the *churchyard*. FARNBOROUGH, HANTS.—Forthwith beneath the *church* of Farnborough; that, with the exception of family vaults and graves, only one body be buried in each grave, and that from and after the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves in which each body shall be separately entombed in an air-tight manner, burials be discontinued in the *churchyard*.

Also DUDLEY.—In the churches of *St. Thomas* and of *St. Edmund*, and in the *Baptist Chapel and Burial-ground*, Dudley; also in the *Old and New Churchyards* of *St. Thomas*, in *St. Edmund's Churchyard*, (except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner), and (with the like exception, and also except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz.: no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be re-opened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left about the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water), in the churchyards of *St. John*, *St. James*, and *St. Andrew Netherton*, and in the *Roman Catholic, Methodist New*

Connection, Independent, and Unitarian Burial-grounds. WOLSTANTON.—In the churchyards of *Wolstanton, Tunstall, and Goldenhill*, all in the parish of Wolstanton, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil which has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in other graves except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz. : no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface ; one coffin only to be buried in a grave ; no grave to be re-opened, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin ; no undecayed remains to be disturbed ; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave ; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. TIPTON, STAFFORDSHIRE.—In the *parish churchyard*, and in *St. Mark's Churchyard*, Tipton, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil which has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz. : no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface ; one coffin only to be buried in a grave ; no grave to be re-opened, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin ; no undecayed remains to be disturbed ; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave ; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. SEDGELEY.

—In the *parish churchyard* of Sedgeley, except in existing vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in existing family vaults which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of undecayed remains; and also in the burial-grounds of the parish of *St. James Gornal*, and of *Christ Church Coseley*, of the *Roman Catholic Chapel of All Saints*, of the *Coppice Chapel Rinton*, and *Darkhouse-lane Chapel*, all in the parish of Sedgeley, except in vaults and walled graves used with the above precautions, and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz.: no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water.

MAIDSTONE. — Beneath *All Saints Church*, Maidstone; and from and after the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *old and new churchyards*, with the exception of existing vaults and brick graves, which shall be used on the following conditions: that they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an airtight manner, and that the only bodies interred be those of the husbands, wives, parents, and unmarried children of those already buried

therein. That in the *Friends Burial-ground* burials be forthwith discontinued within three yards of all dwelling-houses, and in *Holy Trinity District Churchyard* within five yards of the National School, and that (with the exception of family vaults and graves) only one body be buried in each grave. That in *Brewer-street Proprietary Burial-ground*, and in the *Wesleyan Chapel Burial-ground*, burials be forthwith discontinued within five yards of all buildings, and that, with the exception of family vaults and graves, only one body be buried in each grave, and, with the same exception, no grave be re-opened.

Also **HALESOWEN**.—In the *church of Cradley*, in the parish of Halesowen, and in vaults opening from within it, and also in the *churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner, and except in graves never previously opened, and in such as are used exclusively for members of the same family, which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the disturbance of undecayed remains. **PETERBOROUGH**.—Beneath the *cathedral* of Peterborough, in the *parish church*, and in the *Independent Chapel*; and from and after the first March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, in the *New Parochial Burial-ground*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Independent* and *General Baptist Chapels*. **PRESTWICH**.—In the vaults under the *parish church of Oldham*, in the parish of Prestwich, within *St. Peter's Church, Oldham*, and within the *Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, Manchester-street, Oldham*; and from and after the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (except in vaults and brick graves existing at this date which can

be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner), in the *parish churchyard, Oldham, in St. Peter's and St. James's Churchyards, and in Hollingwood Churchyard, also in Providence Chapel General Cemetery, St. Mary's Roman Catholic Burial-ground, Hope Chapel Burial-ground, the Unitarian and Wesleyan Methodist Burial-grounds, all in the town and chapelry of Oldham and parish of Prestwich, Lancashire; and in the mean time only one body is to be buried in a grave, and no grave opened less than five feet deep and in soil free from undecayed remains. That in Waterhead Churchyard, and in Greenacres Chapel Burial-ground, interment be forthwith discontinued, with the like exception, and except so far as is compatible with the following regulations, viz. : that no new grave be opened within twenty feet of any school room or dwelling; that no coffin be buried less than four feet below the surface; that one body only be buried in a grave; and that no grave be re-opened except to bury another of the same family, in which case a foot of earth above the previously buried coffin shall be left undisturbed.*

Also MANCHESTER.—In the *Churchyard of Harpurhey, except so far as is compatible with the following regulations, viz. : That one body only be buried in a grave; that no grave be re-opened, except to bury another member of the same family; and that every coffin buried in a vault or walled grave be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner. In the Manchester General Cemetery at Harpurhey, except in vaults and*

walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz.: No coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be reopened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin, no undecayed remains to be disturbed, no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave, no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. ELLESMERE, SALOP.—In that part of *Ellesmere Churchyard* which is within ten feet of the eastern and northern boundary wall, and which is not free from water and free from remains, no grave in the said churchyard to be less than five feet deep, and that every coffin buried in a vault or brick grave be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. HALSTEAD, KENT.—In the *parish church* of Halstead, and in the *Old Churchyard*, with the exception of vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be separately entombed in an air-tight manner and be covered with three feet of earth, measuring to the general level of the ground. TAMWORTH.—In *Tamworth Church*; and also in *Tamworth Old Churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and except for the burial of parishioners

from Amington, Wilnecote, Bolehall, and Glas-cot, who have no right of burial at Tamworth New Burial-ground. Also that interment at the New Burial-ground, or Additional Church-yard, and at the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground*, be discontinued, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the Regulations for New Burial-grounds. MADELEY, SALOP. — In the *churchyard* of Madeley, and also in the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground*, except in graves not less than five feet deep, which can be made without the exposure of remains; one body to be buried in each grave, except to bury another member of the same family, no grave to be re-opened within fourteen years, and in the vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and no grave to be made within five yards of any house.

Also ROWLEY REGIS.—Beneath the *churches* of *Rowley Regis* and *Reddall-hill*, and in the *churchyards* of the same, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz. : no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface; one coffin only to be buried in a grave; no grave to be re-opened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which cases half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin; no undecayed remains to be disturbed; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water.

SHREWSBURY.—On and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *Old and New Churchyards of St. Chads*, Shrewsbury, except in existing vaults and walled graves, which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. **BURTON-UPON-TRENT.**—In the *parish churchyard* of Burton-upon-Trent, and in *Holy Trinity Churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in other graves, except so far as is compatible with the observance of the following regulations, viz. : no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface ; one coffin only to be buried in a grave ; no grave to be re-opened unless to bury another member of the same family, in which case half a yard in thickness of earth shall be left above the previously interred coffin ; no undecayed remains to be disturbed ; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave ; no grave or vault to be used which is not free from water. **NEWPORT, SALOP.**—In the *parish church* of Newport, Salop ; and on and after the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (except in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner), in the *churchyard* of the same. **PETERSFIELD.**—In the *parish church* of Petersfield, and in the *vestry*, also in the *Independent Chapel* and *vestry* ; and from and after, the first of July, one

thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *Old and New Churchyards*, and in the *burial-grounds of the Independent Chapel*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

Also **WIRKSWORTH.** — Beneath *Wirksworth Church*; and, with the exception of now existing brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in and in which each body shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in brick or stone work, in the *churchyard*; that in the *Baptist Cemetery*, with the exception of brick graves, no grave be re-opened. **DARLASTON.** — Forthwith in *Darlaston Parish Church*, and in the *Wesleyan Chapel*, and also, except in vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, in the *churchyard*. Also, with the like exception, in the *Parish New Burial-ground* and the *Wesleyan Burial-ground*, on and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, and in the meantime only one body is to be buried in a grave and no grave to be less than five feet deep, in soil free from undecayed remains. **OSWESTRY, SALOP.** — In the *Parish Church* of Oswestry, and also, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in

an air-tight manner and in graves never previously opened, in the *churchyard*, in the *New Parish Burial-ground*, and in the *burial-grounds* of the *Workhouse*, the *Independent*, *Zion*, and *Ebenezer Chapels*. WELLINGTON, SALOP.—In that part of the *Parish Churchyard* of Wellington which cannot be opened to the depth of five feet without disturbance of remains, or which is within five yards of any dwelling, and that in the rest of the churchyard one body only be buried in a grave; and that in vaults and brick graves every coffin be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and also that the same regulations be observed in the *burial-ground of Christchurch*.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the time for the discontinuance of burials in the undermentioned churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the churchyard of BLETCHINGLEY, from the first of September to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of the parish of CHELMSFORD, from the first of September next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-ground of the Wesleyan Chapel, EGHAM, Surrey, from the first of October next to the first of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the "New Burial-grounds" in the parish of FOLKSTONE, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand

eight hundred and fifty-six; in the cathedral precincts, GLOUCESTER, in the churchyards of St. Aldate, St. John the Baptist, St. Michael with St. Mary de Grace, St. Mary de Crypt, St. Nicholas, St. Mary de Lode, St. Catherine, and Christ Church (Spa), and in the burial-grounds of the Infirmary, of the Independent, Wesleyan, Baptist, and Unitarian Chapels, and of St. Michael, all in the said city, from the first of August instant to the first of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of GODALMING, from the first of August to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of St. Augustine's Roman Catholic Chapel and of Ebenezer Chapel, MARGATE, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard, and in the Wesleyan burial-ground, NEWARK-UPON-TRENT, from the first of August to the twentieth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the parish churchyard, in St. Paul's Churchyard, in the old and new churchyards of St. James Latchford, in St. Alban's Roman Catholic Burial-ground, in the burial-grounds of Cairo-street Chapel, and of Friars-green Chapel, and in the Quakers' Burial-ground, all in the borough of WARRINGTON, from the first of September next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the new parish burial-ground, and in Bechen Chapel Burial-ground, in the parish of WATFORD, Herts, from the first of September next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard, and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground, in WRAW-

LEY, Lincolnshire, from the first of September to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the representations made by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that no new burial-ground should be opened in any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications:—

NORTHAMPTON — That in all the *churchyards burial-grounds*, and in the *General Cemetery*, Northampton (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave; that no grave be opened within five yards of any dwelling-house, or within three yards of any church or chapel, and that no interment take place in any grave without a covering of earth four feet in thickness at the least, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground. That burials be forthwith discontinued beneath *St. Giles's Church*, *All Saints Church*, the *Baptist Chapel*, the *Wesleyan Chapel*, and the *Independent Chapel, King-street*, (all in All Saints parish), *St. Sepulchre's Church*, *St. Peter's Church*, *Castle Hill, Meeting Chapel*, and the *General Cemetery Chapel*. That from and after the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), burials

be discontinued in *All Saints Churchyard*, *St. Mary's Churchyard*, *St. Katherine's Old Churchyard*, the *Wesleyan Chapel Burial-ground*, the *Unitarian Chapel Burial-ground*, the *Baptist Chapel Burial-ground*, and in the *Independent Chapel Burial-ground*, in *King-street* (all four in the parish of All Saints), in *St. Peter's Churchyard*, in *Castle Hill Meeting Burial-ground* (in the parish of St. Peter) and in the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground* (in the parish of St. Sepulchre). That in *St. Giles's Churchyard*, *St. Katherine's New Churchyard*, and *St. Sepulchre's Churchyard*, no new grave be opened in ground which has been already buried in, and (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves) no grave be reopened. That the vaults and brick graves in all the above-named churchyards and burial-grounds (except in the General Cemetery) be used on the following conditions, viz., that when required they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed, and that the only bodies interred be those of husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, brothers, and sisters, of those already buried therein. GRESFORD, DENBIGHSHIRE.—Forthwith in the *parish church*; and also in the *churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and except in graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of remains. PRESCOT.—Forthwith in *St. Mary's Church*, and in the *Independent Chapel*, *St. Helens*, in the parish of Prescott; and on and after the first of July, one thousand

eight hundred and fifty-seven (except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and entombed in an airtight manner, and in graves never previously opened—one body only to be buried in each), in the *churchyard* of *St. Mary's*, and in the *additional churchyard* or *Parish Burial-ground*, and in the *Wesleyan* and *Independent Burial-grounds*; and also, with the like exceptions (and except in private graves, for the burial of members of the same family, which can be opened without the exposure of remains), in the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground of Wildershaw Abbey*; all in the parochial district of *St. Helena*, in the county of *Lancaster*.

Also **HEREFORD**.—Forthwith in the *cathedral church* of Hereford, and in the *parish church* of *All Saints*, and also (except in vaults and brick graves in which each body shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in family graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of remains, for the burial only of relatives of those already buried therein, and in graves never previously opened in which one body only shall be buried), in the *burial-grounds* of *All Saints*, of the *Eignbrook (Independent) Chapel*, and of *Price's Hospital*, in the parish of *All Saints*, in *St. Peter's Burial-ground*, and in the *Zion (Baptist) Burial-ground*, in the parish of *St. Peter*, in *St. Owen's Burial-ground*, in *St. Nicholas Burial-ground*, and *St. John the Baptist Burial-ground*, all in the city of Hereford. **BRITON FERRY, GLAMORGANSHIRE**.—On and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*,

except in graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without disturbance of undecayed remains, for the burial of relatives of those already interred therein. **BROMHAM, WILTS.**—Forthwith in the *church* of Bromham; and on and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*, except in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. **LIVERPOOL.**—Forthwith beneath the churches of the *Holy Trinity* and *Christ Church*, Liverpool, and (except in family vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in purchased family graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of remains, for the burial only of members of the families of their owners), in *Holy Trinity Churchyard*, in *Christ Churchyard*, in *Saint John's Churchyard*, in *St. Martin's Churchyard*, and in *St. Michael's Churchyard*, Liverpool. **WALTON-ON-THE-HILL.**—Forthwith beneath the *Roman Catholic Chapel of St. Anne, Edgehill*, in the parish of Walton-on-the-Hill, and in that part of the *burial-ground* thereof which is within twenty feet of the school-room, and also in the rest of the burial-ground, and in the *churchyard* of *St. James, Toxteth-park*, in the said parish, except in graves never previously opened, one body only to be buried in each, unless in family graves now existing, for the burial of members of the same family,—such graves being not less than five feet deep, and which can be opened without the exposure of remains, and in now

existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. **CARLISLE.**—Forthwith in the *burial-ground of Holy Trinity*, Carlisle. **WHITCHURCH, SALOP.**—Forthwith in the *parish church* of Whitchurch, and in such of the graves in the *Parish Burial-ground*, and in the *Baptist and Independent Burial-grounds*, as cannot be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing remains, or which are not free from water, and except in vaults and brick graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the sixth day of October next.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The **QUEEN'S** Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that powers be vested in the Town Council of the city of **WORCESTER** for providing requisite places of burial for the inhabitants of the parishes of St. John, St. Peter, St. Helen, St. Andrew, St. Alban, St. Swithin, All Saints, St. Nicholas, St. Martin, and Clainea, all in the said city of Worcester, under the provisions of the Act passed in the 16th and 17th years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the metropolis."

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that a petition from the Town Council of the borough of BRADFORD, in the county of York, praying that powers may be vested in the said Town Council for providing requisite places of burial for the inhabitants of the townships of Bradford, Manningham, Bowling and Horton (including the hamlets of Great and Little Horton), all in the said borough of Bradford, under the provisions of the Act of the 17th and 18th Vict., intituled "An Act to make further provision for the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the metropolis," should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the first day of October next.

Foreign-Office, August 1, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Eastland de Michele, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at St. Petersburg.

Foreign-Office, August 25, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Samuel W. Talbot as Consul at Galway for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. W. J. Thom as Consul at Aberdeen for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

Whitehall, August 25, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Charles William Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, Earl Fitzwilliam, Knight of the Most Noble Order

of the Garter, Her royal licence and authority that he may continue to use the surname of Wentworth in addition to, and before, that of Fitzwilliam, and that he may bear the arms of Wentworth quarterly, in the second quarter, with those of Fitzwilliam, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Teneriffe, reporting that the importation of grain and flour is permitted into the Canary Islands, and that the exportation of grain and potatoes from those islands is prohibited for the space of six months from the 11th ultimo.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Teneriffe, stating that all vessels arriving at that port from Lisbon are refused free pratique, owing to the outbreak of cholera in that city.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Teneriffe, stating that the following Sanitary Regulations have been issued by the Provincial Board of Health at that Port :

1. That vessels arriving from places infected with Asiatic Cholera Morbus, shall be dismissed to the lazarettos authorized for their admission, and be provided with any assistance they may stand in need of, under the strictest precautions, to enable them to proceed on their voyage.
2. That no vessel from wherever it may arrive, under present circumstances, shall be admitted to pratique, until the correspondence brought by it shall have been distributed, and that it shall be ascertained by the public papers and private letters that there exists no impediment to the vessel receiving free pratique.
3. That vessels arriving from places in the vicinity of others infected by cholera, although free from it themselves, or from towns in frequent or easy communication with them, will undergo a quarantine observation of three days, and will have to complete eleven days counting from the date of sailing, should the voyage have occupied less than eight days ; the passengers being required to pass their quarantine in the lazaretto of this port, to which the baggage and cargo shall be taken and subject to a scrupulous expurgation.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 23, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Copenhagen, reporting the abolition of the Royal Monopoly at the Faroe Islands, and stating that British vessels trading with those islands have been placed, in regard to duties, on the footing of national vessels.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 25, 1856.*

The Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Monte Video, enclosing a translation of a Decree regulating the Pilotage at that Port, a copy of which is subjoined.

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(Translation.)

Department of War and Marine.

DECREE.

Monte Video, June 19, 1856.

Experience having proved that the Society of Pilots for the service of the navigation from this port to that of Buenos Ayres have done nothing but injure the consignees or the masters of the ships which want a pilot at a great distance from the port, without any guarantee for the interests which are placed under his charge, a circumstance which weighs on the Authority which has allowed these societies, without any responsibility which

may save the consequences arising from the inexperience or carelessness of the pilots who receive under their direction the life and fortune of those who are on board; the Authority being interested in preventing the commerce from being prejudiced by any of the causes which may take place in the above mentioned sense, the President of the Republic directs and decrees:

Art. 1st. The first and other societies of pilots, created by the Decree of March 27, of 1854, derived from the first petition which caused its installation, are without any effect.

Art. 2nd. The Captain of the Port shall leave to the masters of vessels and consignees the liberty of choosing the pilot they may like to conduct their ships to the port of their destination in the river.

Art. 3rd. When vessels from outside coming up the river have no consignees in this place, and the captain does not come on shore, and asks for a pilot from on board, the Captain of the Port will provide one, employing the first who may present himself, if he has his licence, and is a resident in the republic.

Art. 4th. The Captain of the Port will have on a small board a list of the pilots registered for the service of the river, in order that the persons interested may choose whom they wish to conduct their ships.

Art. 5th. The Captain of the Port will exact from every pilot the dollar which is established for the passport which he ought to take on board, and he will embody the produce of every month in the account of his entries which he is to transmit to the Treasury.

Art. 6th. Let this be communicated, &c.

(Signed) PEREIRA.

CARLOS SAN VICENTE.

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*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
26th August, 1856.*

BREVET.

Colonel Frederick Horn, C.B., of the 20th Foot,
to have the temporary rank of Major-General
while in command of a Brigade. Dated 8th
August, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

1st Devon Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edmund Newman Snow to be Cornet, vice New-
man, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1856.

North Devon Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

James Nixon Macartney to be Adjutant. Dated
16th July, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Northumberland.*

Northumberland Regiment of Militia Artillery.

Henry Christian Allhusen, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant. Dated 20th August, 1856.

Home-Office, August 25, 1856.

A LIST OF REFORMATORY SCHOOLS which have been certified and sanctioned by the Secretary of State, under the Statutes 17 and 18 Vict., cap. 74 and 86.

ENGLAND.

Names of Reformatory Schools.				County.
<i>(Certified under 17 & 18 Vict., cap. 86.)</i>				
1	Berks Reformatory School, Reading	-	-	Berks.
2	Cumberland Reformatory School, Carlisle	-	-	Cumberland.
3	Bradwall Reformatory School, near Sandbach	-	-	Cheshire.
4	Devon and Exeter Reformatory Farm School	-	-	Devon.
5	Sunderland Industrial and Ragged School	-	-	Durham.
6	Kingswood Reformatory, near Bristol	-	-	Gloucester.
7	Hardwick Reformatory, near Gloucester	-	-	do.
8	Red Lodge Reformatory for Girls, Bristol	-	-	do.
9	Arnos Court Girls' Reformatory, near Bristol	-	-	do.
10	Hampshire Reformatory, Eling, near Hartley	-	-	Hants.
11	Liverpool "Akbar Hulk" Reformatory	-	-	Lancaster.
12	Toxteth Park Girls' Reformatory School, Liverpool	-	-	do.
13	Leicestershire Juvenile Reformatory, Leicester	-	-	Leicester.
14	Agricultural Colony of St. Bernard's Abbey, near Loughborough	-	-	do.

Names of Reformatory Schools.				County.
15	Catholic Reformatory, Brook Green	-	-	Middlesex.
16	Home in the East Reformatory, Bow	-	-	do.
17	School of Discipline for Girls, Chelsea	-	-	do.
18	Buxton Juvenile Reformatory School, Marsham	-	-	Norfolk.
19	Northampton Society's Reformatory School	-	-	Northampton.
20	Newcastle-upon-Tyne Reformatory School	-	-	Northumberland.
21	Suffolk Reformatory School, Thorndon, near Eye	-	-	Suffolk.
22	Saltley Reformatory, near Birmingham	-	-	Warwick.
23	Allesley Reformatory School	-	-	do.
24	Birmingham Girls' Reformatory	-	-	do.
25	Stoke Farm Reformatory, near Worcester	-	-	Worcester.
26	Woodberry Hill Reformatory for the County and City of Worcester	-	-	do.
27	Calder Farm School, near Mirfield	-	-	York.
28	Castle Howard Reformatory	-	-	do.
29	Catholic Reformatory, near Market Weighton	-	-	do.
SCOTLAND.				
(Sanctioned under 17 & 18 Vict. cap. 74.)				
1	Aberdeen Industrial School	-	-	Aberdeen.
2	Ayr Ragged School	-	-	Ayr.

3	Kilmarnock Ragged School	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
4	Dumfries and Maxwelltown Education Society's Ragged School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Dumfries.
5	Edinburgh Industrial Ragged School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Edinburgh.
6	Edinburgh United Industrial School	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
7	Reformatory School of the Burghal Parish of Edinburgh	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
8	Arbroath Industrial School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Forfar.
9*	Inverness Ragged School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Inverness.
10	Glasgow Industrial Schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	Lanark.
11	Govan Parochial Schools	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
12	Perth Ladies' House of Refuge for Girls	-	-	-	-	-	-	Perth.
13	Perth Female School of Industry	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
14	Perth Male School of Industry	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
15	Greenock Industrial School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Renfrew.
16*	Greenock Reformatory School	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
17*	Paigley Ragged School	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.
18*	Stranraer Industrial School	-	-	-	-	-	-	Wigton.

(Certified under 17 & 18 Vict. cap. 86.)

1	Glasgow House of Refuge for Girls	-	-	-	-	-	-	Lanark.
2	Glasgow House of Refuge for Boys	-	-	-	-	-	-	do.

Note.—Those Schools marked (*) have also been certified under 17 and 18 Vict. cap. 86.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 29,
1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For assigning a particular district to the consecrated church of the Holy Trinity, situate in the parish of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, and diocese of Saint David's, to be called "The District Chapelry of the Holy Trinity, Swansea."

To unite and consolidate certain contiguous portions of the parish of Bisham, and of the district chapelry of Cookham Dean, in the county of Berks and diocese of Oxford, and to form the same into one consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes for the consecrated church of Saint James, situate at Stubbings, in the said parish of Bisham, to be named "The Consolidated Chapelry of Stubbings," and vesting the patronage of the said church in Henry Duncan Skrine, Esq., his heirs and assigns for ever.

That banns of marriage should hereafter be published, and that marriages should hereafter be solemnized in the district church of Saint George, Hyde, in the parish of Stockport, in the county and diocese of Chester.

Council Office, Whitehall, 21st August, 1856.

Whereas the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the Act of the 17th and 18th Vict.,

cap. 81, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," have framed the following ORDINANCE for authorizing the suspension of one Fellowship in UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, OXFORD, for a limited time; and whereas such ordinance has been submitted to the said College, and has not been objected to by two-thirds of the governing body thereof, and has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act; and NOTICE is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons mentioned in the 35th section of that Act, within one month after this publication, to petition Her Majesty in Council against the approbation of the said Ordinance, or of any part thereof.

C. C. Greville.

ORDINANCE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

We, the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of an Act passed in the 17th and 18th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," do, in execution of the powers given to us by the said Act, hereby ordain as follows:

It shall be lawful for the Master and Fellows of the College of the Great Hall of the University, commonly called University College, in Oxford, if they shall think it expedient so to do, but not otherwise, to suspend the election of one Fellowship within the said College (which shall be either the first or the second that shall become vacant after the approval of this Ordinance by Her Majesty in Council) for any period not exceeding ten

years from the day on which such Fellowship shall have become actually vacant ; and the emoluments of such Fellowship during such suspension shall be appropriated and applied as hereinafter directed.

The stipend and all other emoluments which the Fellow on the foundation of such Fellowship would have been entitled to receive, had the same been filled up, shall, during the period of suspension, be set apart and carried to a separate account in the College books, and the funds accruing therefrom shall be wholly applied in or towards the foundation of new Scholarships (or Exhibitions, either limited or not limited,) within the College, or in or towards augmenting the emoluments of any existing Scholarships or Exhibitions, or to all, or any, or either of those purposes, but in such manner in all respects, and subject to such regulations and provisions, as to the accumulation and investment of such funds, or any part thereof, and the number and constitution of the said Scholarships or Exhibitions, and otherwise, as we, the said Commissioners, or other the Commissioners exercising the powers of the said Act, for the time being, shall, by any ordinance or ordinances to be made in execution of those powers, direct, and in default of, and subject to, any such ordinance, as the Master and Fellows of the College shall from time to time determine.

The expediency of exercising or not exercising the power of suspension hereby given, the choice of the Fellowship to be suspended, the period of suspension, and the manner in which the stipend and other emoluments of such suspended Fellowship are to be applied, and all other matters (if any) which under this Ordinance are left to the discretion of the Master and Fellows of the College, shall, subject to the foregoing provisions, be determined by the Master and Fellows present at any College meeting or meetings, held in manner

prescribed by the statutes and regulations of the College for the time being, as if such matters had formed part of the ordinary business of such meeting or meetings.

Given under our common seal this ninth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.



Council Office, Whitehall, 21st August, 1856.

Whereas the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the Act of the 17 and 18 Vict., cap. 81, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," have framed the following ORDINANCE for the consolidation of Scholarships in BALLIOL COLLEGE, OXFORD, and for other purpose; and whereas such Ordinance has been submitted to the said College, and has not been objected to by two-thirds of the governing body thereof, and has been laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act; and NOTICE is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons mentioned in the 35th section of that Act, within one month after this publication, to petition Her Majesty in Council against the approbation of the said Ordinance, or of any part thereof.

C. C. Greville.

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“ther provision for the good government and
 “extension of the University of Oxford, of the
 “Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint
 “Mary, Winchester,” do, in execution of the
 powers given to us by the said Act, ordain as follows :

1. No present or future Fellow of Balliol College, in Oxford, shall be bound as a condition of qualification for the retention of his Fellowship to enter into Holy Orders, and every or any statute, or clause or provision of a statute, of the said College requiring or adjoining all or any of the Fellows thereof to enter into Holy Orders, shall henceforth, so far as regards such requirement or injunction, be absolutely void.

If at the time when any vacant Fellowship within the said College ought, according to the Statutes and Regulations of the said College, to be filled up, there shall not be four Fellows of the said College in Holy Orders, no person shall be capable of being elected to such Fellowship who shall not then be a Priest or Deacon of the United Church of England and Ireland, provided that if, in any such case, the vacancy shall have occurred within three calendar months before the usual day of election, it shall be lawful for the Master and Fellows, if they shall think fit, to postpone the election for any period not longer than one year.

2. The Scholarships, now ten in number, of the original foundation within Balliol College, and the two Scholarships of Dame Elizabeth Periams foundation shall be consolidated into four Scholarships, in manner hereinafter directed.

The said twelve existing Scholarships shall, as vacancies occur therein, not be filled up, but the corporate revenues of the College shall be charged with the maintenance (instead of the said twelve Scholarships) of four Scholarships, to each of which a yearly stipend of not less than fifty-six

pounds shall be attached, payable out of such corporate revenues, before any division thereof among the Fellows of the College.

The time at which the first election shall be held to each of the said four Scholarships (from which time, and not before, the stipend attached to such Scholarship shall become payable) shall be in the discretion of the Master and Fellows; provided that all the said four Scholarships shall be filled up as quickly as the occurrence of vacancies in the existing twelve Scholarships shall make it practicable to do so conveniently.

The Exhibition of John Blagdon's foundation, the two Scholarships of John Edgcombe's foundation, the two Scholarships of Richard Ellsworth's foundation, the two Scholarships of Charles Harris's foundation, the Exhibition of Mary Headlam's foundation, and the Exhibitions of Roger Mander's foundation, shall be consolidated into four Scholarships within the said College, in manner following, that is to say: the same several Exhibitions and Scholarships shall, as vacancies occur therein, not be filled up, but all the emoluments of, and appertaining to, the same, which would have been payable to the persons elected into the same, and their successors, had the same been filled up, shall be applied as the same shall become available in maintaining four Scholars within the said College, each of whom shall receive yearly one-fourth part of the total amount of such emoluments.

The time at which the first election shall be held to each of the last-mentioned four Scholarships, shall be in the discretion of the Master and Fellows, provided that a separate account shall be opened and kept in the books of the College of the emoluments which shall become available from the source last hereinbefore mentioned, and the said emoluments shall, as the same shall become

available, be applied in the first place, if the Master and Fellows shall think fit, in repaying to the domus fund of the College any monies which the Master and Fellows may, before the whole of such emoluments shall have become available, have voluntarily advanced out of the divisible corporate revenues of the College, for the purpose of accelerating the establishment of the last-mentioned four Scholarships, and, subject thereto, in establishing and maintaining the same four Scholarships, and to no other purpose whatsoever.

In elections to the eight Scholarships to be established, pursuant to this Ordinance, and in elections to the two Scholarships of Dr. Bell's foundation, no preference shall be given to any person on account of his place of birth or parentage, or of his being of the name, lineage, kindred, or consanguinity of any person named in any deed or will, charter, or other instrument whatever, or of his being, or having been, a Scholar of any school.

The holders of the eight Scholarships to be established pursuant to this ordinance, and the two Scholars on Dr. Bell's foundation, shall be entitled, in addition to their respective stipends or emoluments, to receive tuition free from all charges, and shall be elected on the same days, by the same persons, and in the same manner, and shall be liable to deprivation by the same authority, for the same causes, and in the same manner, as the Scholars of the original foundation are now elected and liable, and shall be subject to such regulations as to their instruction, discipline, and attendance on divine worship, as the Master and Fellows may, from time to time, prescribe.

No person who shall have attained the age of nineteen years shall be eligible to any of the eight Scholarships to be established pursuant to this Ordinance, or to either of the two Scholarships of Dr. Bell's foundation.

The eight Scholarships to be established pursuant to this Ordinance, and the two Scholarships of Dr. Bell's foundation shall be tenable for five years, and no longer; and every Scholar who shall marry, or be elected to a Fellowship in the said College, or cease to be a Member of the said College, shall, ipso facto, vacate his Scholarship.

3. Every probationer, Fellow of Balliol College, shall, on his election, make a declaration in the following form:—"I, A. B., promise to observe the statutes and bye-laws of the College of Balliol, so far as they concern me."

Every actual Fellow of the said College shall, on admission to his Fellowship, make a declaration in the following form:—"I, A. B., will be true and faithful to the College of Balliol, and promote its interests and studies by every means in my power."

Every Scholar of the said College shall, on admission to his Scholarship, be admonished by the Master of the College to observe the statutes and bye-laws of the College so far as they may concern such Scholar.

The several oaths prescribed by the statutes of the College to be taken on election to a Fellowship before the admission of a Probationer to an actual Fellowship, and before admission to a Scholarship respectively, the oath prescribed by the ordinance of John Feckenham and William Wright, dated the fourteenth day of March, one thousand five hundred and fifty-eight, and the oath prescribed or referred to in an indenture, dated the eleventh day of November, one thousand six hundred and fifteen, and made between the surviving executors of the will of Peter Blundell, of the first part, the Master and Scholars of Balliol College of the second part, and the surviving Feoffees of the lands of the said Peter Blundell, named in his will, of

the third part, shall not hereafter be administered or taken.

Given under our common seal this
ninth day of June, one thousand
eight hundred and fifty-six.



Buckingham Palace, August 27, 1856.

This day had audience of Her Majesty :

The Chevalier Don Antonio Gonzalez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from Her Catholic Majesty, to deliver his letter of recall ;

Señor Don Juan de Francisco Martin, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Guatemala, to deliver his credentials ; and

The Count Chreptowitch, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias, to deliver his credentials ;

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by the Earl of Clarendon, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Major-General the Honourable Sir Edward Cust, K.C.H., Her Majesty's Master of the Ceremonies.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, transmitting the following translations of two Decrees signed by

the King of Portugal, relating to the free importation of grain, &c., into that country.

(Copy.)

(Translation.)

Taking into consideration what is represented to me by the President of the Council of Ministers, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Minister and Secretary of State for Public Works, Commerce, and Industry, and after hearing the opinion of the Council General of Commerce, Agriculture, and Manufactures, and making use of the authority conceded to me by the 3rd and 4th Articles of the Law of the 3rd July of this year—I decree the following :—

Art. 1. The provisions of Articles one and two of the Law of 3rd July of the present year, are applicable to biscuit and the several maccaronis for soup, which may be introduced by the frontier and sea-port towns of the kingdom, on payment of the duties established for flour and baked bread.

Art. 2. The importation of foreign Indian corn is permitted through the sea-ports to the south of the kingdom, from Figuiera, inclusive, to Villa Real de Santo Antonio, according to the terms of the first and second Articles of the above-mentioned Law.

Art. 3. All legislation to the contrary is hereby revoked.

The President of the Council of Ministers, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Minister and Secretary of State for Public Works, Commerce, and Industry, and the Minister and Secretary of State for the Finance Department,—witness this and execute it.

Done at the Palace of Cintra, August 5, 1856.

(Signed) KING.

MARQUIS DE LOULE.

JOSE JORGE LOUREIRO.

(Copy.)

Translation.

Taking into consideration what is represented to me by the President of the Council of Ministers, and Minister for Foreign Affairs, and Minister and Secretary of State for Public Works, Commerce, and Industry, and after hearing the opinion of the Council of Commerce, Agriculture, and Manufactures, and making use of the authority conceded by the Law of the 3rd of July of the present year—I decree the following:—

Art. 1. The provisions of Articles one and two of the Law of the 3rd July of the present year, are applicable to the Articles mentioned in the accompanying table, which forms part of the present Decree, and which may be introduced by the frontiers and ports of the kingdom, such articles paying the duties laid down in the said table as signed by the President of the Council of Ministers, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Minister and Secretary of State for Public Works, Commerce, and Industry, and by the Minister and Secretary of State for the Finance Department.

Art. 2. All legislation to the contrary is hereby revoked.

The President of the Council of Ministers, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Minister and Secretary of State for Public Works, Commerce, and Industry, and the Minister and Secretary of State for the Finance Department.

Witness this,—execute it.

Done at the Palace of Cintra, August 5, 1856.

(Signed)

KING.

MARQUIS DE LOULE

JOSE JORGE LOUREIRO.

Table to which this Decree refers.

Articles.	Weight.	Duty.
	lbs.	
Rice in the husk . .	100	200 reis (11d.)
Do. without husk . .	„	400 reis (1s. 10d.)
Potatoes	„	200 reis (11d.)
Beans, of whatever quality, and other vegetables . . .	„	400 reis (1s. 10d.)
Mandioca Flour . .	„	160 reis (8½d.)
Haricot Beans . . .	„	160 reis (8½d.)

Ministry of Public Works, Commerce, and
Industry, August 5, 1856.

(Signed) **MARQUIS DE LOULE.**
JOSE JORGE LOUREIRO.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Martinique, reporting that, in consequence of the opening of an aqueduct which the Government had caused to be constructed, there will henceforth always be a plentiful supply of good water to be obtained by vessels calling at Port de France, at a very moderate cost.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
29th August, 1856.

8rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, George Rom-
ney Rawlinson, Gent., to be Cornet, by pur-
chase, vice Blenkinsop, promoted. Dated 29th
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6th Dragoon Guards. The second Christian name of Cornet Glasson, is *St. Clair*, and not *St. Cair*, as stated in the Gazette of 22nd instant.

7th Light Dragoons, Charles Lee Wore, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Standish, promoted. Dated 29th August, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Charles Joseph Harford, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Durant, who retires. Dated 29th August, 1856.

14th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant William English to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brett, appointed to the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 29th August, 1856.

16th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Ferdinand Capel Hanbury Williams has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants, with temporary rank, viz.:

Francis Hume Dodgson. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Edward Delaval Tarleton. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Henry Pountney Darwall. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Edward Roden Cottingham. Dated 10th August, 1856.

George Russell Salmon. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Joseph Thomas Barrington. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Nathaniel William Oliver Townsend. Dated 10th August, 1856.

John Claudius Auchinleck. Dated 10th August, 1856.

George Sheppard Harvey. Dated 10th August 1856.

Samuel Cotter Kyle. Dated 10th August, 1856.

William Stopford Maunsell. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Herbert Leonard Mitchell. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

Brevet-Colonel Richard John Stotherd to be Colonel, vice Cole, retired on full pay. Dated 11th August, 1856.

Captain Marcus Dill to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stotherd. Dated 11th August, 1856.

Second Captain Ben Hay Martindale to be Captain, vice Dill, promoted. Dated 11th August, 1856.

Lieutenant William Coles Phillpotts to be Second Captain, vice Martindale. Dated 11th August, 1856.

18th Regiment of Foot, Ensign Arthur Kay has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

20th Foot, Brevet-Major William Pollexfen Radcliffe to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel G. Steevens, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Lieutenant George Dowglasse to be Captain, without purchase, vice Radcliffe. Dated 29th August, 1856.

29th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Philips Onslow has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

41st Foot, Lieutenant John Shering Keddle, from the 83rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Onslow, who exchanges. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Isaac King to be Adjutant, vice Fraser, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 29th August, 1856.

42nd Foot, Ensign Victor M'Farlane has been superseded, being absent without leave. Dated 29th August, 1856.

60th Foot, The first Christian name of Ensign King, appointed, without purchase, on the 8th July, 1856, is *James*, and not *John*, as previously stated.

77th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Charles Croker has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

83rd Foot, Lieutenant Guildford Macleay Onslow, from the 41st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Keddle, who exchanges. Dated 29th August, 1856.

85th Foot, Lieutenant William Thomas Baker to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major James Gubbins, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Ensign James Murray Grant to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Baker. Dated 29th August, 1856.

88th Foot, Ensign Douglas Nicholson has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

99th Foot, Ensign G. Robert Stewart Black to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice F. Wilson, who retires. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Edward Beevor Batcheler, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Black. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Brevet-Major Thomas Lillie to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Reyne, who retires upon full pay. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Lieutenant David Stewart to be Captain, without purchase, vice Lillie. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Ensign Thomas George O. D. Hervey to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Stewart. Dated 29th August, 1856.

LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Cornet Warner Spalding has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

BRITISH ITALIAN LEGION.

The names of the undermentioned Officers, having been omitted in former Gazettes, their Commissions will bear date as follows ; viz. :

2nd Regiment, Giacomo Isnardi to be Dispenser. Dated 8th March, 1856.

3rd Regiment, Dominico Valenti to be Captain. Dated 28th February, 1856.

Francesco Ravazzini to be Captain. Dated 4th March, 1856.

Marquis Giovachino Pallavicini to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1856.

Luigi Porzi to be Ensign. Dated 31st March, 1856.

Paolo Ameri to be Ensign. Dated 31st March, 1856.

4th Regiment, Felice Moccia to be Lieutenant.
Dated 18th February, 1856.

Federigo Vitali to be Dispenser. Dated 3rd
March, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Ferdinand Whittingham, C.B., from the 26th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Steevens, 20th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Brevet-Major James Gubbins, 85th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 29th August, 1856.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

To be Deputy Commissaries-General.

Assistant Commissary-General Montague William Darling. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Assistant Commissary-General William James Tyrone Power. Dated 1st August, 1856.

To be Assistant Commissaries-General.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General George Joseph Webb. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General John Francis Rogers. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General James Wilkinson Woodley. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Charles Garrow Blanc. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Charles Palmer. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Charles Bagot Smith. Dated 1st August, 1856.

To be Deputy Assistant Commissaries-General.

Commissariat Clerk Edwin Litchfield. Dated 1st August, 1856.

Commissariat Clerk Alfred Ernest Petrie. Dated 1st August, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon James Crosse Johnston, Supernumerary in the 9th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Daniel Benjamin Hine has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 29th August, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :—

William Sharpe. Dated 29th August, 1856.

David Knox, M.D. Dated 29th August, 1856.

James Graham Hildige, M.D. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Thomas Henry Newsam. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Joseph Read. Dated 29th August, 1856.

James Gideon Creasy. Dated 29th August, 1856.

BREVET.

Colonel Pennel Cole, retired full pay of the Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 11th August, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Peter Bennet Reyne, retired full-pay, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 29th August, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

Brevet-Colonel F. Chidley Irwin, upon half-pay Unattached, as Lieutenant-Colonel, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, he being about to become a settler in Western Australia. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of Yorkshire.

The Honourable William Henry Forester Denison to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1856.

North York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Duncan Forbes to be Lieutenant, vice **Shafto**, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 28th July, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 2,
1856.

Foreign-Office, August 30, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of **Don Severino Barberia** as Consul at Gibraltar for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John Barker as Consul at Sunderland for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

Whitehall, August 23, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the nomination of His Grace the Earl Marshal, to appoint Edward-Stephen Dendy, Esq., Rouge Dragon Pursuivant of Arms, to be Surrey Herald of Arms Extraordinary.

Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Gilbert Pickering Rudkin Jones, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carnarvon.

Royal Carnarvonshire Militia.

Lieutenant Frank Mucklestone Allen to be Captain, vice Charles Griffith Wynne, resigned. Dated 29th August, 1856.

George Sholto Douglas Pennant, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Allen, promoted. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Ensign John Bailey Williams to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Wyatt, resigned. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Ensign Owen Massey Jones to be Lieutenant, vice William Wynne, appointed to the Coldstream Guards. Dated 29th August, 1856.

Bedminster Union.—Nailsea Parish.

An order of the Poor Law Board to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the parish of Nailsea, in the county of Somerset, and to all others whom it may concern, dated the 29th day of July, 1856, directs that so much of the Act passed on the 5th August, 1850 (13 and 14 Vict., c. 57), entitled "An Act to prevent the holding of vestry and other meetings in churches, and for regulating the appointment of vestry clerks," as relates to the providing of a room or suitable buildings for the purpose of holding vestry or other meetings shall forthwith be applied to, and put in force within the parish of Nailsea.



FROM THE

**LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 5,
1856.**

**AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 21st day of *August*, 1856.**

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the chancellorship of the cathedral church of Salisbury, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of East Marden, in the cathedral church of Chichester, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

Foreign-Office, August 30, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Nicolas Mahs as Consul at Liverpool, for His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias.

Foreign-Office, September 2, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. George Appel as Vice-Consul at South Brisbane, in New South Wales, for the Free City of Hamburg.

Foreign-Office, September 5, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Franz Tagliaferro as Consul at Malta, and of Mr. Lewis Power as Consul at Gibraltar, for His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias.

The Queen has been also pleased to approve of Mr. N. Solomon as Consul at St. Helena for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, reporting that the Board of Health at that place have issued a decree declaring the port of Sines to be free from infection and the port of Funchal to be considered infected.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Copenhagen, stating that in consequence of the disease prevailing amongst cattle in the Duchy of Holstein, an order has been issued prohibiting their importation into Denmark from that Duchy, unless accompanied by a certificate of a veterinary surgeon of their being in good health when exported, and a declaration of a magistrate that the district from which such cattle were exported was free from disease at the time of exportation.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Algiers, transmitting a copy of a Decree which has appeared in the *Moniteur Algérien*, by which English packet ships, bringing to Algiers pilgrims from Mecca, will be subjected to a navigation duty at the rate of one ton per passenger only; but under the condition of no other commercial operation being effected by such vessel.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for

Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Madrid, enclosing copy of a Spanish Royal Decree, exempting from all dues vessels exclusively importing into Spain wheat, flour, barley, and maize, until the 1st June, 1857.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

5th September, 1856.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant John Stephenson Ferguson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major A. W. D. Burton, C.B., whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 5th September, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Cornet John Hinde Cotton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Harford, promoted. Dated 5th September, 1856.

26th Regiment of Foot, Captain William Hopson Hopson to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant - Colonel Ferdinand Whittingham, C.B., promoted, by purchase, to an Unattached Lieutenant-Colonelcy. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry Charles Hardinge to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hopson. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign George Hogarth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hardinge. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Philip Conway Story, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hogarth. Dated 5th September, 1856.

43rd Foot, Ensign Christopher Hore Hatchell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Calvert, who retires. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Henry Charles Talbot, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hatchell. Dated 5th September, 1856.

51st Foot, Captain George Henry Hibbert-Ware, from the 97th Foot, to be Captain, vice Marston, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles Goddard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Young, who retires. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign Eustace Beaumont Burnaby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Goddard. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Henry Stewart Tompson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burnaby. Dated 5th September 1856.

54th Foot, Major Rowland Moffat to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel W. Y. Moore, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Captain J. C. Hill Jones to be Major, without purchase, vice Moffat. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Captain Robert Bourne, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Lake, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Lieutenant John S. Swann to be Captain, without purchase, vice Jones. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign Arthur Herrick to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Swann. Dated 5th September, 1856.

58th Foot, Captain Robert Children Whitehead, from the 97th Foot, to be Captain, vice Herbert, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

74th Foot, Lieutenant F. R. Thackeray to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Robert

Bruce, promoted by purchase, to an Unattached Majority. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign A. W. Chalmers Magrath to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cathcart, who retires. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign Colin Hugh Thomson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thackeray. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Edwin Tarver Sainsbury, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Magrath. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Samuel Richards, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Thomson. Dated 6th September, 1856.

88th Foot. The Christian name of Quartermaster Evans is *Matthew*, and not *William*, as previously stated.

97th Foot, Captain Henry Fletcher Marston, from the 51st Foot, to be Captain, vice Hibbert-Ware, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Captain C. St. John S. Herbert, from the 58th Foot, to be Captain, vice Whitehead, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Captain Percy Godfrey Botfield Lake, from the 54th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bourne, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Ensign John Theodore Cartwright to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thursby, promoted. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Ensign Christopher John Barnard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gill, who has retired. Dated 5th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major Robert Bruce, from the 74th Foot, to be Major, by purchase. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major Adolphus W. D. Burton, C.B., 5th Dragoon Guards, to have his Brevet converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major Robert B. Hawley, 89th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 5th September, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon William Dumbreck, from the 1st Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces. Dated 5th September, 1856.

The appointment of Assistant-Surgeon Angus John Mackay, Supernumerary in the 1st Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, as stated in the Gazette of 1st August, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 5th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

George Redford. Dated 5th September, 1856.

George Wright. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Charles William Innes Moffatt, M.D. Dated 5th September, 1856.

George Palatiano, M.D. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Thomas Henderson Somerville. Dated 18th August, 1856.

Neville Gray Du Vernet Parker, M.D. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Henry McNiece. Dated 5th September, 1856.
 Alexander William Arthur Delisle. Dated 5th
 September, 1856.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel William Yorke Moore, retired
 full-pay, 54th Foot, to be Major-General, the
 rank being honorary only. Dated 5th Septem-
 ber, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

Major George Bulkeley Tattersall, upon half-
 pay, of the Ceylon Rifle Regiment, has been
 permitted to retire from the Service by the sale
 of his Commission, he being about to become a
 settler in Ceylon. Dated 5th September, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 9,
 1856.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
 the 21st day of *August*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in
 Council was pleased to approve and ratify the
 schemes duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette)
 by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For making better provision for the cure of
 souls in certain parishes.

For compensating certain spiritual persons
 whose emoluments have been diminished by reason
 of proceedings under the Act for making better
 provision for the spiritual care of populous pa-
 rishes.

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Whitehall, September 8, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to ordain and declare, that Eliza-Rosetta-Massey Corry, the Widow of the late Rear-Admiral Armar Lowry Corry; Elizabeth Boxer, the Widow of the late Rear-Admiral Edward Boxer, C.B.; Caroline Bucknall-Estcourt, the Widow of the late Major-General James - Bucknall Bucknall - Estcourt; Mary Tylden, the Widow of the late Brigadier-General William - Burton Tylden; Katherine Adams, the Widow of the late Major-General Henry-William Adams, C.B.; and Sophy-Eliza Fox-Strangways, the Widow of the late Brigadier-General Thomas Fox-Strangways; shall have, hold, and enjoy, the same style, title, place, and precedence, to which they would have been entitled, had their husbands (who lost their lives in the public service during the late War) survived, and been respectively invested with the insignia of Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, for which honour they, amongst others, would have been recommended to Her Majesty, as notified in the London Gazette of the 10th July, 1855, had they survived :

And also to command that the said royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Foreign-Office, September 6, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Carmichael as Consul-General in Great Britain for the Republic of Salvador.

Downing-Street, August 27, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Hosack, Esq., Alexander Heslop, Esq., C. M'Larty

Morales, Esq., Robert Osborn, Esq., and the Right Reverend Reginald Courtenay, M.A., to be Members of the Privy Council of the Island of Jamaica.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Charles Macgregor, Esq., Louis Mackinnon, Esq., Peter Moncrief, Esq., and Maximilian Augustus Baron Von Ketelhodt, to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Island of Jamaica.

Downing-Street, September 5, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Thomas Mercer, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Hong Kong; Samuel Jackson Dallas, Esq., to be a Member of the Privy Council of the Island of Jamaica; and Henry John Tancred, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of New Zealand.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Lewis Morris Wilkins, Esq., to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court, William A. Henry, Esq., to be Provincial Secretary, and Adams G. Archibald, Esq., to be Solicitor-General for the Province of Nova Scotia.

Her Majesty has been further pleased to appoint John Montgomery, Esq., to be Surveyor-General for the Province of New Brunswick; James John Hickson, Esq., to be Crown Solicitor for the Island of Hong Kong; William Gillespie Dickson, Esq., to be Procureur and Advocate-General for the Island of Mauritius; and William Snagg, Esq., to be Chief Justice for the Island of Antigua.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

9th September, 1856.

5th Regiment of Foot, Captain George Carden, from the 77th Foot, to be Captain, vice Baillie, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.

- 20th Foot*, Captain Charles Lutyens to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 21st August, 1856.
- 22nd Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Proctor, from 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Young, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 36th Foot*, Ensign George O'Connell, from 3rd West India Regiment, to be Ensign, vice Gun, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 41st Foot*, Ensign M. S. Williams, from 96th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Manera, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 51st Foot*, Captain William Agg to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 22nd June, 1856.
- 77th Foot*, Captain James Baillie, from the 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice Carden, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 89th Foot*, Captain John Lewes Philipps to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Aylmer, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 94th Foot*, Captain Charles William St. John to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st April, 1856.
- 96th Foot*, Ensign Ajax Manera, from the 41st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Williams, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 97th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Newton Young, from the 22nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Proctor, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.
- 99th Foot*, Paymaster George W. Macquarie, from the Royal Perth Rifles Militia, to be Pay-

master, vice Henry Butler Stoney, appointed to the 40th Foot. Dated 9th September, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign George Hayter Macaulay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Burleigh, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Ensign Rhinardt Gun, from the 36th Foot, to be Ensign, vice O'Connell, who exchanges. Dated 9th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

The undermentioned Officers to have their Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854:—

Brevet - Lieutenant - Colonel Frederick Charles Aylmer, 89th Foot. Dated 9th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major William Pretymen, 33rd Foot. Dated 9th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major Andrew Pitcairn, 42nd Foot. Dated 9th September, 1856.

Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Her Majesty is graciously pleased to permit Major Joseph John Martin, late of the Queen's Own Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry to retain the honorary rank of Major of Yeomanry, in consideration of his long service of 45 years, 25 as Major.

Home-Office, September 2, 1856.

The Philanthropic Society's Farm School, at Red Hill, near Reigate, in the county of Surrey, has been certified by the Secretary of State as fit to be a Reformatory School under the provisions of the Statute 17th and 18th Vict., cap. 85.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 12,
 1856.

Foreign-Office, September 5, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Adrian Churchill, Esq., C.B., now Third Paid Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at 'Tehran, to be Her Majesty's Consul in Bosnia.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
12th September, 1856.

8th Regiment of Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Thomas James Biddle, from the 94th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Martin, appointed to the 94th Foot. Dated 12th September, 1856.

19th Foot, Ensign Walter Lacy Rogers has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 12th September, 1856.

22nd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Pollard, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Adams, promoted on the Staff. Dated 12th September, 1856.

30th Foot, Lieutenant John William Poole, from the 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Allardice, who exchanges. Dated 12th September, 1856.

42nd Foot, Major Andrew Pitcairn, from half-pay Unattached, to be Major, vice Murray, who exchanges. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Robert Whigham to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Pitcairn, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of the 6th October, 1854. Dated 12th September, 1856.

76th Foot, Lieutenant John M'Dermid Allardice, from the 30th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Poole, who exchanges. Dated 12th September, 1856.

78th Foot, Serjeant-Major Charles Skrine to be Quartermaster, vice Carroll, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 12th September, 1856.

90th Foot, Lieutenant Sir Charles Pigott Bart., has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 12th September, 1856.

94th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Henry Clinton Martin, from the 8th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Biddle appointed to the 8th Foot. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Ensign Charles Lynott to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Watson, promoted. Dated 12th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to signify Her command that Brevet-Colonel Henry Atwell Lake, C.B., be transferred from the Madras Engineers, to be a Lieutenant-Colonel Unattached, in the Royal Army, in consideration of his services during the siege of Kars. Dated 12th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers to have their

Brevet converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854 :

Brevet-Major Hans Robert White, 89th Foot.
Dated 12th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major A. H. P. Stuart-Wortley, 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 12th September, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

The removal of Assistant-Surgeon F. S. B. François de Chaumont, M.D., Supernumerary in the Rifle Brigade to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, as stated in the Gazette of the 1st August, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Christopher Thompson, M.B., Supernumerary in the Rifle Brigade, to be Assistant-Surgeon in the Forces. Dated 1st August, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :—

John Masters. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Thomas Wainwright Bennett. Dated 12th September, 1856.

William Henry Leslie. Dated 12th September, 1856.

John Folliott. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Bryan Patrick Mac Donough, M.D. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Alexander Crawford Robertson. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Thomas Lambert Hinton. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Edward Baker Stephens. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Samuel Fuller. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Peter Mc Elmail. Dated 12th September, 1856.
 Joseph Thomas Mitchell. Dated 12th September,
 1856.
 William Henry Jenkins. Dated 12th September,
 1856.
 Ebenezer John Hatchell. Dated 12th September,
 1856.
 Frederick Oakes. Dated 12th September, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer, having completed three years' actual service on the 7th September, 1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel (Deputy Adjutant-General in the Leeward and Windward Islands), to be promoted to be Colonel in the Army, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854 :

Lieutenant-Colonel F. Darley George, half-pay
 22nd Foot. Dated 7th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Quartermaster, retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of 17th December, 1855 :

Quartermaster Patrick Carroll, half-pay 78th
 Foot. Dated 12th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals :

Staff-Surgeons of the First Class.

Robert Battersby. Dated 12th September, 1856.
 Charles Robert Boyes, M.D. Dated 12th September, 1856.
 William Parry. Dated 12th September, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Hertford.*

South Herts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Abel Smith to be Captain, vice
William Parker, resigned.

Cornet Robert Smith to be Lieutenant, vice Abel
Smith, promoted.

Samuel George Smith, Gent., to be Cornet, vice
Robert Smith, promoted.

[The following Appointment is substituted for
that which appeared in the Gazette of Friday
the 25th April last.]

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Worcester.*

Worcestershire Militia.

Henry Herne Diprose Birchill, Gent., to be Lieu-
tenant, vice Castle, appointed to the 3rd Regi-
ment of the British Italian Legion.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act passed in the fourth
year of the reign of Her present Majesty, in-
titled "An Act for the regulation of the duties
of Postage," power is given to the Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury from time to time by
Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of
the rates of British or Inland postage, payable by
law on the transmission by the post of foreign or
colonial letters or newspapers, or any other printed
papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage
according to the weight thereof, and a scale of
weight to be contained in such Warrant, and from
time to time by Warrant as aforesaid, to alter or

repeal any such altered rates, and to make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof.

And whereas it is expedient that regulations should be made for the transmission by the post of the letters hereinafter mentioned.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the power or authority in us for such purpose vested in and by the said Act, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided) order and direct that on every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the post between any place in the United Kingdom and the Mauritius (direct or through any other colony, or through any foreign country), there shall be charged and taken in lieu of any rates of British postage now payable by law on such letters, an uniform British rate of sixpence.

And we direct that on every letter not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the post between the Mauritius and any other of Her Majesty's colonies, or any foreign country, through the United Kingdom (whether through any colony or foreign country or not), there shall be charged and taken in lieu of any rates of British postage now payable by law on such letters, the rates of British postage following; that is to say:

For the conveyance of every such letter between the Mauritius and any part of the United Kingdom, a rate of sixpence, and for the conveyance of every such letter between the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same, and the colony or foreign country to or from which the same shall be forwarded, such a further or additional rate of postage as shall from time to time

be charged and payable for British postage on letters posted or delivered at the port in the United Kingdom of the departure or arrival of the packet or ship conveying the same and transmitted direct between such port and any such colony or foreign country.

And we direct that on every letter transmitted as is mentioned in this Warrant, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, progressive and additional rates of postage as follows, that is to say :

On every such letter exceeding half an ounce in weight and not exceeding one ounce in weight two rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of postage.

On every such letter exceeding two ounces, and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of postage.

And on every such letter exceeding three ounces, and not exceeding four ounces in weight, eight rates of postage.

And for every ounce in weight above the weight of four ounces, there shall be charged and taken two additional rates of postage, and every fraction of an ounce above the weight of four ounces, shall be charged as one additional ounce, and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

And we direct that in all cases in which any letter in respect of which any rate of postage is chargeable by this Warrant shall pass through a

foreign country, any foreign postage payable thereon, shall be charged and paid thereon in addition to the British postage.

And we further direct, that nothing in this Warrant contained shall in anywise prejudice or affect the privilege granted by the said recited Act in favour of petitions and addresses forwarded to Her Majesty by the post, nor the privilege granted by the same Act to members of each House of Parliament to receive by the post petitions and addresses to Her Majesty, and petitions addressed to either House of Parliament, not exceeding thirty-two ounces in weight, exempt from postage, nor shall anything in this Warrant contained, in anywise prejudice or affect the privilege which seamen and soldiers employed in Her Majesty's service, and seamen and soldiers employed in the service of the East India Company, now by law enjoy of sending and receiving by the post, letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight subject to the regulations and restrictions in respect of the same.

And we further direct, that nothing in this Warrant contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any letters or packets posted in or addressed to France or any foreign country through France, and transmitted between France or foreign countries through France and the Mauritius, all which last mentioned letters and packets shall be charged and chargeable with the same rates of postage as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to extend to any letters, the sea conveyance of which shall be by a packet-boat belonging to, or employed by, or under the Government or Post Office of the United States of America, or the sea conveyance of which, in the Mediterranean, shall be by a French packet-boat, all which letters shall be

charged and chargeable, as if this Warrant had not been signed.

And we further direct, that the term "by the post," used in this Warrant, shall, as to the sea conveyance, include the conveyance by any British or colonial, or foreign packet-boat (packet-boats belonging to, or employed by, or under the Government or Post Office of the United States of America, and French Mediterranean packet-boats excepted), and the said term shall also include the sea conveyance by any private ship.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare and direct that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant duly made at anytime hereafter, to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby altered, or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint, at what time the rates that may be payable, are to be paid.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the 9th day
of September, 1856.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

Township of Hunslet.

An order of the Poor Law Board to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the township of Hunslet, in the borough of Leeds, in the county of York, and to all others whom it may concern, dated the 29th of August, 1856, directs that so much of the Act passed on the 5th of August, 1850 (13 and 14 Victoria, c. 57), entitled "An Act to prevent the holding of vestry or other meetings in churches, and for regulating the appointment of vestry clerks," as relates to the appointment of a vestry clerk, shall forthwith be applied to, and be put in force within, the said township of Hunslet.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 16,
1856.

Foreign-Office, September 13, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Daniel M. Huckins as Consul at Cape Town for the United States of America.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 15, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Naples, reporting that the Neapolitan Government has issued a Decree, by which, throughout the Neapolitan dominions, British shipping engaged in the indirect trade, will be placed upon the footing of national vessels.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 15, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Panama, enclosing copy of a

new Tonnage Law recently passed by the Government of New Granada, of which the following are extracts :—

Article 3rd.—The tonnage dues, port dues, pilotage, and visit fees, shall be the same in all the ports of the Republic, including the free ports of the Isthmus of Panama, Carthagena, Checo, Buenaventura, and Tumaco, and the following sums shall be collected :

- 1st. Every vessel under 100 tons, shall pay 40 cents per Granadian ton for her capacity.
- 2nd. Every vessel exceeding 100 tons, shall pay 40 cents for the first 100 tons, and 20 cents for the balance over and above the said 100 tons.
- 3rd. Tonnage dues shall only be paid at the first port at which a vessel touches, proceeding from foreign countries ; vessels proceeding from one port to another in the Republic shall not pay tonnage dues.
- 4th. War vessels of the country, or friendly relations and transports assimilated to them, which may touch at the ports of the Republic, shall not pay tonnage dues.
- 5th. The Executive may exempt from tonnage dues and permit to coast, sail or steam vessels that agree to convey the mails between ports of the Republic, and carry such correspondence gratis as may be entrusted to them. Those that do not agree to this shall pay tonnage dues, cash in hard dollars of the country.
- 6th. Vessels arriving in ballast, or which load in New Granada, shall not pay tonnage dues, neither shall those chartered to bring emigrants to the Republic, when the number of same exceed fifty.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

16th September, 1856.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain and Brevet-Major Edgar Grantham Bredin, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Seymour, retired upon half-pay. Dated 27th August, 1856.

Second Captain Edward Jackson Bruce to be Adjutant. Dated 1st September, 1856.

Second Captain George Malcolm Pasley, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Bruce. Dated 1st September, 1856.

Quartermaster Thomas Hendley to be Quartermaster and Commissary of Stores. Dated 1st September, 1856.

Quartermaster-Serjeant Richard Keating to be Quartermaster, vice Hendley. Dated 1st September, 1856.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Robert Bruce to be Major, without purchase, vice Thornton, who retires. Dated 16th September, 1856.

Lieutenant and Captain John Francis Cust to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Bruce. Dated 16th September, 1856.

6th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Henry Vereker Bindon to be Surgeon, vice Pratt, deceased. Dated 25th May, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Harvey, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Bindon. Dated 12th September, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Sir Charles Robert Tempest, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1856.

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Valentine Dudley Henry Cary Elwes, Esq., to be
Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th August, 1856.

Royal South Lincoln Militia.

William Grinfield Ostler, Gent., to be Ensign,
vice Drew, promoted. Dated 20th August,
1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Norfolk.*

1st or Western Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

Ensign Frederick Thomas Tegart to be Lieu-
tenant, vice Lawrence, resigned. Dated 5th
September, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Postmaster-General to remit any of the rates of British postage for the time being payable by law on the transmission of post letters, newspapers, or other printed papers, to such extent as the Lords of the Treasury shall from time to time direct; and power is also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, by warrant, under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters or newspapers, or any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant, and from time to

time by Warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any such altered rates.

And whereas, further powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by an Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the post office."

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have, at various times, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers so reserved and given to them as aforesaid, by divers Warrants under their hands made and given, certain regulations, orders, and directions whereby the several persons in such Warrants respectively mentioned and described, being persons employed in the several military, naval, or transport services under Her Majesty respectively mentioned in the said several Warrants, were authorised to send and receive letters transmitted by the post between the several places therein respectively mentioned, by the means and routes therein respectively mentioned and set forth at certain reduced rates of postage therein specified, and also whereby the said several persons were authorised to receive packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, and packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, transmitted by the post, and sent and addressed to the said several persons respectively, from any place in the United Kingdom to the said several places in the said several Warrants respectively mentioned, by the means and routes, and at the rates of postage therein respectively mentioned.

And whereas the necessity and occasion for such regulations, orders, directions, and rates of postage having ceased, it is expedient that such Warrants, and such regulations, orders, directions, and rates of postage therein contained, should be altered, repealed, and revoked.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said two before mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided), order and direct that the several Warrants, and parts of a Warrant, mentioned and set forth in the schedule to this Warrant annexed, shall be, and the same are hereby, repealed, revoked, and annulled, respectively, and that the several regulations, orders, directions, and rates of postage in such several Warrants and parts of a Warrant, respectively mentioned and set forth, shall wholly cease and determine.

*SCHEDULE to which the above "Warrant
refers.*

Date of Warrant.	Extent of Repeal.
17th May, 1854	The whole.
16th October, 1854	The whole.
9th January, 1855	The whole.
29th March, 1855	The whole.
19th May, 1855	The whole.
29th June, 1855	The whole.
25th August, 1855	The whole.
2nd October, 1855	The whole.

Schedule—continued.

Date of Warrant.	Extent of Repeal.
10th November, 1855	So much thereof and of the orders, directions, regulations, conditions, and rates of postage therein respectively contained, as relate to the transmission by the post of letters sent from or to any commissioned or non-commissioned officer, serjeant, corporal, drummer, trumpeter, fifer, or private soldier, in Her Majesty's regular Forces, Artillery, or Royal Marines, or from or to any commissioned or warrant officer, midshipman, master's mate, or seaman in Her Majesty's Navy, or any of Her Majesty's ships between any of the British hospitals at or near Smyrna or the Dardanelles, and any ports or places in Turkey or the Black Sea.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the eleventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

*H. Brand.
Duncan.*

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 19,
1856.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 16, 1856.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received information, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, of the abolition by the Russian Government of quarantine in the Black Sea.

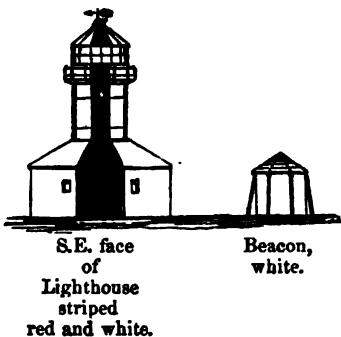
NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Cape Race Light, Newfoundland

THE Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade give notice, that the Lighthouse recently erected upon Cape Race (Newfoundland) will be lighted, and will continue to exhibit *a fixed white light*, from sunset to sunrise, on and after the 15th of December, 1856.

The light will be visible to seaward from N.E. by E. round by the S.E. and South to West.

The light is elevated 180 feet above mean water level of the sea, and may be seen in clear weather 17 miles from a ship's deck. The tower appears as shown herewith, and is striped red and white vertically. It stands close to the old beacon, which has been cut down, as shown in the sketch.



The lighthouse is in lat. $46^{\circ} 39' 12''$ N., long. $53^{\circ} 2' 38''$ W.

[All bearings are magnetic. Var. 24° W.]

Board of Trade, September, 1856.

N.B.—A toll will be levied upon all vessels benefiting by this light.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

19th September, 1856.

1st Regiment of Dragoons, Lieutenant Joseph Brunt has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 19th September, 1856.

9th Light Dragoons, Piers Thursby, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice King, promoted. Dated 19th September, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Samuel Adams, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Cotton, promoted. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Royal Artillery, Gentleman Cadet William Walpole Murdoch to be Lieutenant, and to take his place in the Regiment next below Lieutenant the Honourable Alexander Stewart. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant Amelius Beauclerk Fyrs to be Second Captain, vice Brevet-Major De Moleyns, deceased. Dated 18th August, 1856.

Brevet-Colonel Alexander Gordon to be Colonel, vice Matson, retired on full pay. Dated 10th September, 1856.

Captain Philip John Bainbrigge to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Gordon. Dated 10th September, 1856.

Second Captain Charles Scrope Hutchinson to be Captain, vice Bainbrigge. Dated 10th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Alexander Stephen Creyke to be Second Captain, vice Hutchinson. Dated 10th September, 1856.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Captain Cecil Lennox Peel, from the 52nd Foot, to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Blane, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

3rd Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Henry Blake, from the 35th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Pears, appointed to the 25th Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

5th Foot, Captain Thomas Scovell Bigge, from the 23rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Chads, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

19th Foot, Lieutenant Alexander Fraser Unett has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 19th September, 1856.

21st Foot, Captain Edward Codd, from the 99th Foot to be Captain, vice Dunne, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

23rd Foot, Captain John Henry Chads, from the 5th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bigge, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

25th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Pears, from the 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ross, appointed to the 35th Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

33rd Foot, Lieutenant Gerrard Callaghan Howe, from the 59th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Crosse, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

34th Foot, Lieutenant Richard J. P. Leeson, to be Adjutant, vice Byron, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 19th September, 1856.

35th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Ross, from the 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Blake, appointed to 3rd Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

36th Foot, Captain Edwin William Philips, from the 56th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Weguelin, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

40th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Francis Barnes to be Quartermaster, vice Hives, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 19th September, 1856.

45th Foot, Ensign John Charles Kingsley has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 19th September, 1856.

51st Foot, Brevet-Major Augustus Henry Irby to be Major, by purchase, vice Anderson, who retires. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry Basil Houson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Irby. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Ensign William Charles Edward Scott to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice **Houson**. Dated 19th September, 1856.

The second Christian name of **Ensign Tompson**, appointed on the 5th instant, is *Steuart*, and not *Stewart*, as previously stated.

52nd Foot, Lieutenant and Captain **Seymour Blane**, from the Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Captain, vice **Cecil Lennox Peel**, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

55th Foot, Captain **Thomas Southwell Brown** to be Major, without purchase, vice **Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Whimper**, whose **Brevet Rank** has been converted into **Substantive Rank**, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th September, 1856.

56th Foot, **Brevet-Major T. M. Luz Weguelin**, from the 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice **Philips**, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

59th Foot, Lieutenant **H. E. G. Crosse**, from the 33rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice **Howe**, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

60th Foot, **Ensign W. B. Scott Conyers** to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice **Hedley**, who retires. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Ashley Henry Woodgate, Gent., to be **Ensign**, by purchase, vice **Conyers**. Dated 19th September, 1856.

63rd Foot, **Ensign William Gordon** has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 19th September, 1856.

66th Foot, Lieutenant **Harry Firth** to be **Adjutant**, vice **Storey**, who resigns the **Adjutancy** only. Dated 19th September, 1856.

86th Foot, **Ensign Julius Drake Brockman** to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice **Maine**, who has retired. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Ensign Valentine G. Coates, from the 9th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Adams promoted. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Gilbert Sidney Jackson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brockman. Dated 19th September, 1856.

93rd Foot, Captain **E. S. F. George Dawson** to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st September, 1856.

96th Foot, Ensign **Lionel Smith** has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 19th September, 1856.

99th Foot, Captain **John Hart Dunne**, from the 21st Foot, to be Captain, vice Codd, who exchanges. Dated 19th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

The undermentioned Officers to have their Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854 :—

Brevet - Lieutenant-Colonel **Frederick Amelius Whimper**, 55th Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Brevet-Major **Raymond Inglis**, 18th Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

BRITISH GERMAN LEGION.

The following Officers not being required with the British German Legion, their services have been dispensed with :

Depôt at Heligoland, Garrison Assistant-Surgeon **Claus J. Siemens**. Dated 10th August, 1856.

Garrison Chaplain Reverend **Vollquhart Petersen**. Dated 31st August, 1856.

1st Light Dragoons, Cornet **Richard Butler Mackenna**. Dated 30th August, 1856.

2nd Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Hermann von Dittmar. Dated 13th August, 1856.

1st Jäger Corps, Lieutenant Augustus Walter Lewis. Dated 29th August, 1856.

2nd Jäger Corps, Captain Henry Cooke Lanauze. Dated 31st August, 1856.

Captain Ludwig Hanesse. Dated 16th September, 1856.

Captain Christian Reichenau. Dated 10th July, 1856.

Lieutenant Carl Theodor Rust. Dated 10th July, 1856.

3rd Jäger Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel Henry O. Bowles. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Major Franz Weiss. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Axel von Jessen. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Milford de Carstensen. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Philo Schumann. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Schmidt von Schwartzenhorn. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Baron Wilhelm von Essen. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Gore Daly. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Lewis Rohrer. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Paul von Suenson. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Cameron Samsey. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Ensign Adolph Ritter. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Ensign Baron Stanislas von Leski. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Paymaster Louis R. Haslewood. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Quartermaster John Gardiner. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Surgeon Friederich Aschenfeldt. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Christian Biel. Dated 31st July, 1856.

2nd Light Infantry, Captain Hermann Ludolph Bansen. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Rudolph Schmidt. Dated 31st August, 1856.

Captain Heinrich Andreas Bansen. Dated 31st July, 1856.

3rd Light Infantry, Captain Charles Blauel. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Edward Moter. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Lieutenant Carl Fuchs. Dated 15th August, 1856.

4th Light Infantry, Captain Albert du Vigneau. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Ensign Heinrich Raffelsieper. Dated 4th July, 1856.

5th Light Infantry, Lieutenant Otto Setzer. Dated 31st August, 1856.

BRITISH SWISS LEGION.

The following Officers not being required with the British Swiss Legion, their services have been dispensed with :—

Depôt at Dover, Brigade-Major, Major Charles J. Lindam. Dated 14th August, 1856.

Captain John Cockburn. Dated 31st August, 1856.

Captain Johann Spindler. Dated 30th August, 1856.

1st Light Infantry, Captain Johann Caspar Pfeiffer. Dated 31st August, 1856.

2nd Light Infantry, Captain Lewis Haslimann.

Dated 15th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Bertold Hürner. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Ensign Jacob Köhler. Dated 14th August, 1856.

Ensign Alexander B. Boner. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Ensign Joseph Wicki. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Jacob Kleiner. Dated 6th August, 1856.

Scharfschützen Company, Captain Johann Spielmann. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Eugene Theiler. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Ensign H. R. Geisler. Dated 4th August, 1856.

Not attached to any Regiment.

Captain Jacob Sperli. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Captain Viscount Alcide de Forestier. Dated 31st July, 1856.

Captain Charles Arnold. Dated 14th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Antoine Columbara. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Lieutenant Salomon Ellicker. Dated 9th August, 1856.

Ensign Johann C. Bleuler. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Friedrich Baumgartner. Dated 14th August, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

William Kortright Brock. Dated 19th September, 1856.

- George Hayward. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Freeman James Eaton. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 William John Clapp. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Henry Brook. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 James Benbow. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Benjamin William Hall. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Edward Wadman Ward. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Harvey John Philpot. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 William O'Halloran. Dated 19th September, 1856.

BREVET.

- Colonel Edward Matson, retired full-pay Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 10th September, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Kearsley Dawson, retired full-pay Royal Engineers, to be Colonel, in consequence of the promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel Tucker, the Officer who stood next below him on the Effective Establishment at the time of his retirement, in accordance with the 21st clause of the Royal Warrant of 3rd November, 1854. Dated 29th March, 1856.
 Brevet-Major Edward D'Alton, retired full-pay Royal Newfoundland Companies, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Brevet-Colonel William R. Mansfield, Unattached, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General in Poland while employed on a particular service in that country. Dated 19th September, 1856.
 Captain Frederick Miller, 80th Foot, to be Major in the Army. Dated 6th June, 1856.

The undermentioned Quartermaster, retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain under the Royal Warrant of 17th December, 1855 :

Quartermaster Thomas Walter Hives, half-pay, 40th Foot. Dated 19th September, 1856.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels in the Army.

Major John Holmes, 12th Bombay Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Major Richard Crewe, 45th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

To be Majors in the Army.

Captain George Travers Sayer Carruthers, 1st Madras Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain Edw. William Boudier, 51st Madras Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain James Edmund Mayne, 8th Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain James Grant Stephen, 8th Bengal Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain John Luther Vaughan, 21st Bengal Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain Frederick John Goldsmid, 37th Madras Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain Reginald Best Brett, Bombay Artillery. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain Edward Wray, Bombay Artillery. Dated 6th June, 1856.

Captain Roland Richardson, 3rd Bengal Cavalry. Dated 6th June, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Service, retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows :

Colonel George Alcock, Madras Artillery, to be Major-General. Dated 19th August, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Carleston Ormsby, Bengal Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Major Edward Clutterbuck, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th November, 1854.

To be Majors.

Captain Erskine Thomas Erskine, Bengal Infantry. Dated 27th May, 1856.

Captain Alfred Cooper Hutchinson, Bengal Artillery. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles Vaughan Arbuckle, Bengal Artillery, to have the rank of Lieutenant in the Army while employed at the East India Company's Recruiting Depôt at Warley. Dated 19th September, 1856.

Admiralty, 16th September, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant John Tunstall Haverfield to be Captain, vice Ramsay, deceased.

Second Lieutenant Francis Joseph Parry to be First Lieutenant, vice Haverfield, promoted.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

Hungerford Corps of Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Honeywood, Esq., to be Captain, vice Coape, resigned. Dated 11th September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Warwick.*

Warwickshire Militia.

1st Regiment.

Ensign John Joseph Coppinger to be Lieutenant,
vice William Powell, resigned. Dated 11th
September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*2nd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own
Militia.*

Lieutenant Lambert Disney to be Captain, vice
Withers, resigned. Dated 13th September,
1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 23,
1856.

Foreign-Office, September 10, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to
appoint Brigadier-General William Rose Mansfield
to be Her Majesty's Consul-General at Warsaw.

Foreign-Office, September 23, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don
Jose Maria Martinez y Rosado as Consul at
Belize for the Republic of Mexico.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of
Señor C. F. Halle as Consul at Manchester for
the Republic of Venezuela.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing as follows the duty on tobacco imported into Algeria.

Tobacco in leaf:

From French entrepôts, 20 francs per 100 kilos,
without 10 per cent. assessed.

From foreign parts, 25 francs per 100 kilos,
without 10 per cent. assessed.

Manufactured tobacco, 40 francs per 100 kilos,
without 10 per cent. assessed.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, prolonging the period fixed by the Decrees of 8th September and 13th October, 1855, respecting provisions, until the 31st December, 1857.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Vigo, reporting the outbreak of yellow fever at Oporto.

*Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*2nd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own
Militia.*

Lieutenant Charles Garraway to be Captain, vice
Hughes, resigned. Dated 17th September,
1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Huntingdon.*

Huntingdonshire Militia.

Arthur Tillard, Gent., to be First Lieutenant.
Dated 11th September, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas an Act of Parliament was passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage."

And whereas another Act of Parliament was passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office."

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to them in and by the said two before-mentioned Acts, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, did, by a certain Warrant, in writing under the hands of two of them the said Commissioners, and by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, order and direct that all

packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament or the Colonial Legislatures, might be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the several places mentioned and set forth in the Schedule B to the said now reciting Warrant annexed, and that all such respective packets should be so transmitted in conformity with, and under, and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions thereafter mentioned and contained. And that the single rate of postage for the transmission thereof should be that which was mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively in the said Schedule B. And that all such respective packets so transmitted should be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage thereafter mentioned.

And whereas it is expedient to extend the provisions of the said recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, except as hereinafter mentioned, to packets of a like kind to be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Tasmania.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the power reserved to us, in and by the said two hereinbefore recited Acts of Parliament, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided, order and direct, that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British,

colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, or any of the colonial legislatures, may be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Tasmania; and that on every such packet, so transmitted under the provisions of this Warrant, as aforesaid, if not exceeding half a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof, as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage of sixpence; and that on every such packet, exceeding half a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid such progressive and additional rates of postage as are directed to be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the several packets mentioned and contained in and authorised to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of the said recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855.

And we do further order and direct, that all such respective packets, to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions contained in the said recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, with respect to the several packets therein mentioned, except such as relate exclusively to packets posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales, addressed to the United Kingdom; and that all such respective packets so to be transmitted under the provisions of this present Warrant shall be subject, as well to the several progressive and additional rates of postage aforesaid, as also to the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except

as aforesaid), respectively mentioned, expressed, and contained in and by the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, in like manner, in all respects, and as fully and effectually, to all intents and purposes, as if the said several progressive and additional rates of postage, and the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except such only as relate exclusively to packets posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales addressed to the United Kingdom), respectively mentioned and contained in the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855, were contained, inserted, expressed, and repeated in this present Warrant, and as if the said colony of Tasmania with a single rate of postage of six pence set forth against such colony had been and was mentioned and contained and included in the said Schedule B, annexed to the said hereinbefore recited Warrant of the 22nd day of February, 1855.

And we do further order and direct that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant duly made at any time hereafter, to alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

And we do further order and direct that so far as regards any such packets posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Tasmania, this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of November next. And that so far as regards any such packets posted in Tasmania, addressed to the

United Kingdom, this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of February next.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the eighteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 23,
1856.

Treaty of Friendship and Commerce between Her Majesty and the Kings of Siam.

Signed at Bangkok, April 18, 1855.

[Ratifications exchanged at Bangkok, April 5, 1856.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and all its dependencies, and Their Majesties Phra Bard Somdetch Phra Paramendr Maha Mongkut Phra Chom Klau Chau Yu Hua, the first King of Siam, and Phra Bard Somdetch Phra Pawarendr Ramesr Mahiswareser Phra Pin Klau Chau Yu Hua, the second King of Siam, desiring to establish upon firm and lasting foundations the relations of peace and friendship existing between the two countries, and to secure the best interests of their respective subjects, by encouraging, facilitating, and regulating their industry and trade, have resolved to

conclude a Treaty of Amity and Commerce for this purpose, and have therefore named as their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say :

Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Sir John Bowring, Knight, Doctor of Laws, &c., &c. :

And Their Majesties the first and second Kings of Siam, his Royal Highness Krom Hluang Wongsā Dhiraj Snidh ; his Excellency Somdetch Chau Phaya Param Maha Puyurawongse ; his Excellency Somdetch Chau Phaya Param Maha Bijai-neate ; his Excellency Chau Phaya Sri Suriwongse Samuha Phra Kralahome ; and his Excellency Chau Phaya, Acting Phra-Klang :

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, and found them to be in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following articles :—

ARTICLE I.

There shall henceforward be perpetual peace and friendship between Her Majesty the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, and Her successors, and Their Majesties the first and second Kings of Siam, and their successors. All British subjects coming to Siam shall receive from the Siamese Government full protection and assistance to enable them to reside in Siam in all security, and trade with every facility, free from oppression or injury on the part of the Siamese ; and all Siamese subjects going to an English country shall receive from the British Government the same complete protection and assistance that shall be granted to British subjects by the Government of Siam.

ARTICLE II.

The interests of all British subjects coming to Siam shall be placed under the regulation and

control of a Consul, who will be appointed to reside at Bangkok : he will himself conform to, and will enforce the observance by British subjects of, all the provisions of this Treaty, and such of the former Treaty negotiated by Captain Burney in 1826, as shall still remain in operation. He shall also give effect to all rules or regulations that are now or may hereafter be enacted for the government of British subjects in Siam, the conduct of their trade, and for the prevention of violations of the laws of Siam. Any disputes arising between British and Siamese subjects shall be heard and determined by the Consul, in conjunction with the proper Siamese officers ; and criminal offences will be punished, in the case of English offenders by the Consul according to English laws, and in the case of Siamese offenders, by their own laws, through the Siamese authorities. But the Consul shall not interfere in any matters referring solely to Siamese, neither will the Siamese authorities interfere in questions which only concern the subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

It is understood, however, that the arrival of the British Consul at Bangkok shall not take place before the ratification of this Treaty, nor until ten vessels owned by British subjects, sailing under British colours and with British papers, shall have entered the port of Bangkok for purposes of trade, subsequent to the signing of this Treaty.

ARTICLE III.

If Siamese in the employ of British subjects offend against the laws of their country, or if any Siamese having so offended or desiring to desert, take refuge with a British subject in Siam, they shall be searched for, and, upon proof of their

guilt or desertion, shall be delivered up by the Consul to the Siamese authorities. In like manner, any British offenders resident or trading in Siam, who may desert, escape to, or hide themselves in, Siamese territory, shall be apprehended and delivered over to the British Consul on his requisition. Chinese, not able to prove themselves to be British subjects, shall not be considered as such by the British Consul, nor be entitled to his protection.

ARTICLE IV.

British subjects are permitted to trade freely in all the seaports of Siam, but may reside permanently only at Bangkok, or within the limits assigned by this Treaty. British subjects coming to reside at Bangkok may rent land, and buy or build houses, but cannot purchase lands within a circuit of 200 *sen* (not more than four miles English) from the city walls, until they shall have lived in Siam for ten years, or shall obtain special authority from the Siamese Government to enable them to do so. But with the exception of this limitation, British residents in Siam may at any time buy or rent houses, lands, or plantations, situated any where within a distance of twenty-four hours' journey from the city of Bangkok, to be computed by the rate at which boats of the country can travel. In order to obtain possession of such lands or houses, it will be necessary that the British subject shall, in the first place, make application through the Consul to the proper Siamese officer; and the Siamese officer and the Consul having satisfied themselves of the honest intentions of the applicant, will assist him in settling, upon equitable terms, the amount of the purchase money, will mark out and fix the boundaries of the property, and will convey the same

to the British purchaser under sealed deeds. Whereupon he and his property shall be placed under the protection of the Governor of the district and that of the particular local authorities ; he shall conform in ordinary matters, to any just directions given him by them, and will be subject to the same taxation that is levied on Siamese subjects. But if through negligence, the want of capital, or other cause, a British subject should fail to commence the cultivation or improvement of the lands so acquired within a term of three years from the date of receiving possession thereof, the Siamese Government shall have the power of resuming the property, upon returning to the British subject the purchase money paid by him for the same.

ARTICLE V.

All British subjects intending to reside in Siam shall be registered at the British Consulate. They shall not go out to sea, nor proceed beyond the limits assigned by this Treaty for the residence of British subjects, without a passport from the Siamese authorities, to be applied for by the British Consul ; nor shall they leave Siam, if the Siamese authorities show to the British Consul that legitimate objections exist to their quitting the country. But within the limits appointed under the preceding Article, British subjects are at liberty to travel to and fro under the protection of a pass, to be furnished them by the British Consul, and counter-sealed by the proper Siamese officer, stating, in the Siamese character, their names, calling, and description. The Siamese officers at the Government stations in the interior may, at any time, call for the production of this pass, and immediately on its being exhibited, they must allow the parties to proceed ; but it will be

their duty to detain those persons who, by travelling without a pass from the Consul, render themselves liable to the suspicion of their being deserters : and such detention shall be immediately reported to the Consul.

ARTICLE VI.

All British subjects visiting or residing in Siam shall be allowed the free exercise of the Christian religion, and liberty to build churches in such localities as shall be consented to by the Siamese authorities. The Siamese Government will place no restrictions upon the employment by the English of Siamese subjects as servants, or in any other capacity. But wherever a Siamese subject belongs or owes service to some particular master, the servant who engages himself to a British subject without the consent of his master, may be reclaimed by him ; and the Siamese Government will not enforce an agreement between a British subject and any Siamese in his employ, unless made with the knowledge and consent of the master, who has a right to dispose of the services of the person engaged.

ARTICLE VII.

British ships of war may enter the river, and anchor at Paknam, but they shall not proceed above Paknam, unless with the consent of the Siamese authorities, which shall be given where it is necessary that a ship shall go into dock for repairs. Any British ship of war conveying to Siam a public functionary accredited by Her Majesty's Government to the Court of Bangkok, shall be allowed to come up to Bangkok, but shall not pass the forts called Pong Phrachamit and

Pit-patch-nuck, unless expressly permitted to do so by the Siamese Government ; but in the absence of a British ship of war, the Siamese authorities engage to furnish the Consul with a force sufficient to enable him to give effect to his authority over British subjects, and to enforce discipline among British shipping.

ARTICLE VIII.

The measurement duty hitherto paid by British vessels trading to Bangkok under the Treaty of 1826, shall be abolished from the date of this Treaty coming into operation, and British shipping and trade will thenceforth be only subject to the payment of import and export duties on the goods landed or shipped. On all articles of import the duties shall be 3 per cent., payable at the option of the importer, either in kind or money, calculated upon the market value of the goods. Drawback of the full amount of duty shall be allowed upon goods found unsaleable and re-exported. Should the British merchant and the Custom-house officers disagree as to the value to be set upon imported articles, such disputes shall be referred to the Consul and proper Siamese officer, who shall each have the power to call in an equal number of merchants as assessors, not exceeding two on either side, to assist them in coming to an equitable decision.

Opium may be imported free of duty, but can only be sold to the opium farmer or his agents. In the event of no arrangement being effected with them for the sale of the opium, it shall be re-exported, and no impost or duty shall be levied thereon. Any infringement of this regulation shall subject the opium to seizure and confiscation.

Articles of export from the time of production

to the date of shipment, shall pay one impost only, whether this be levied under the name of inland tax, transit duty, or duty on exportation. The tax or duty to be paid on each article of Siamese produce previous to or upon exportation, is specified in the Tariff attached to this Treaty ; and it is distinctly agreed that goods or produce which pay any description of tax in the interior, shall be exempted from any further payment of duty on exportation.

English merchants are to be allowed to purchase directly from the producer the articles in which they trade, and in like manner to sell their goods directly to the parties wishing to purchase the same, without the interference, in either case, of any other person.

The rates of duty laid down in the Tariff attached to this Treaty are those that are now paid upon goods or produce shipped in Siamese or Chinese vessels or junks ; and it is agreed that British shipping shall enjoy all the privileges now exercised by, or which hereafter may be granted to, Siamese or Chinese vessels or junks.

British subjects will be allowed to build ships in Siam, on obtaining permission to do so from the Siamese authorities.

Whenever a scarcity may be apprehended, of salt, rice, and fish, the Siamese Government reserve to themselves the right of prohibiting, by public proclamation, the exportation of these articles.

Bullion, or personal effects, may be imported or exported free of charge.

ARTICLE IX.

The Code of Regulations appended to this

Treaty shall be enforced by the Consul, with the co-operation of the Siamese authorities; and they, the said authorities and Consul, shall be enabled to introduce any further regulations which may be found necessary, in order to give effect to the objects of this Treaty.

All fines and penalties inflicted for infraction of the provisions and regulations of this Treaty shall be paid to the Siamese Government.

Until the British Consul shall arrive at Bangkok, and enter upon his functions, the consignees of British vessels shall be at liberty to settle with the Siamese authorities all questions relating to their trade.

ARTICLE X.

The British Government and its subjects will be allowed free and equal participation in any privileges that may have been, or may hereafter be, granted by the Siamese Government to the Government or subjects of any other nation.

ARTICLE XI.

After the lapse of ten years from the date of the ratification of this Treaty, upon the desire of either the British or Siamese Governments, and on twelve months' notice given by either party, the present and such portions of the Treaty of 1826 as remain unrevoked by this Treaty, together with the Tariff and Regulations hereunto annexed, or those that may hereafter be introduced, shall be subject to revision by Commissioners appointed on both sides for this purpose, who will be empowered to decide on and insert therein such amendments as experience shall prove to be desirable.

ARTICLE XII.

This Treaty, executed in English and Siamese, both versions having the same meaning and intention, and the ratifications thereof having been previously exchanged, shall take effect from the sixth day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six of the Christian era, corresponding to the first day of the fifth month of the one thousand two hundred and eighteenth year of the Siamese civil era.

In witness whereof the above-named Plenipotentiaries have signed and sealed the present Treaty in quadruplicate at Bangkok, on the eighteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five of the Christian era, corresponding to the second day of the sixth month of the one thousand two hundred and seventeenth year of the Siamese civil era.

JOHN BOWRING.
(L.S.)

(Signatures and seals of the five Siamese
Plenipotentiaries.)

*General Regulations under which British Trade
is to be conducted in Siam.*

REGULATION I.

The master of every English ship coming to Bangkok to trade, must, either before or after entering the river, as may be found convenient, report the arrival of his vessel at the custom-house at Paknam, together with the number of

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his crew and guns, and the port from whence he comes. Upon anchoring his vessel at Paknam, he will deliver into the custody of the custom-house officers all his guns and ammunition; and a custom-house officer will then be appointed to the vessel, and will proceed in her to Bangkok.

REGULATION II.

A vessel passing Paknam without discharging her guns and ammunition as directed in the foregoing regulation, will be sent back to Paknam to comply with its provisions, and will be fined 800 ticals for having so disobeyed. After delivery of her guns and ammunition, she will be permitted to return to Bangkok to trade.

REGULATION III.

When a British vessel shall have cast anchor at Bangkok, the master, unless a Sunday should intervene, will, within four and twenty hours after arrival, proceed to the British Consulate, and deposit there his ship's papers, bills of lading, &c., together with a true manifest of his import cargo; and upon the Consul's reporting these particulars to the custom-house, permission to break bulk will at once be given by the latter.

For neglecting so to report his arrival, or for presenting a false manifest, the master will subject himself, in each instance, to a penalty of 400 ticals; but he will be allowed to correct within twenty-four hours after delivery of it to the Consul, any mistake he may discover in his manifest, without incurring the above-mentioned penalty.

REGULATION IV.

A British vessel breaking bulk, and commencing to discharge before due permission shall be obtained, or smuggling either when in the river or outside the bar, shall be subject to the penalty of 800 ticals, and confiscation of the goods so smuggled or discharged.

REGULATION V.

As soon as a British vessel shall have discharged her cargo, and completed her outward lading, paid all her duties, and delivered a true manifest of her outward cargo to the British Consul, a Siamese port-clearance shall be granted her on application from the Consul, who, in the absence of any legal impediment to her departure, will then return to the master his ship's papers, and allow the vessel to leave. A custom-house officer will accompany the vessel to Paknam; and on arriving there she will be inspected by the custom-house officers of that station, and will receive from them the guns and ammunition previously delivered into their charge.

REGULATION VI.

Her Britannic Majesty's Plenipotentiary having no knowledge of the Siamese language, the Siamese Government have agreed that the English text of these Regulations, together with the Treaty of which they form a portion, and the Tariff hereunto annexed, shall be accepted as conveying in every respect their true meaning and intention.

JOHN BOWRING.
(L.S.)

(Signatures and seals of the five Siamese Plenipotentiaries.)

32. Deer hides, fine ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	0	0	0	Per 100 hides.
33. Ditto, common ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0	0	"
34. Deer sinews ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	0	0	Per pecul.
35. Buffalo and cow hides	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0	0	"
36. Elephant's bones	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0	0	"
37. Tiger's bones ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	0	0	0	"
38. Buffalo horns ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	1	0	0	"
39. Elephant's hides...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	1	0	0	"
40. Tiger's skins ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	1	0	0	Per skin.
41. Armadillo skins ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	0	0	Per pecul.
42. Sticklac ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0	0	"
43. Hemp ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	0	0	"
44. Dried fish, <i>Plaheng</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	0	0	"
45. Ditto, <i>Plasak</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	0	0	"
46. Sapan wood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	2	1	0	"
47. Salt meat ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0	0	0	"
48. Mangrove bark ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	1	0	0	"
49. Rosewood ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0	2	0	0	"
50. Ebony ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0	0	"
51. Rice ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	0	0	Per koyan.

SECTION II.

The undermentioned Articles being subject to the Inland or Transit Duties herein named, and which shall not be increased, shall be exempt from Export Duty.

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SECTION III.

All goods or produce unenumerated in this Tariff shall be free of Export Duty, and shall only be subject to one Inland Tax or Transit Duty, not exceeding the rate now paid.

JOHN BOWRING.

(L.S.)

(Signatures and seals of the five Siamese Plenipotentiaries.)

AGREEMENT entered into between Harry Smith Parkes, Esq., on the part of Her Britannic Majesty's Government, and the undermentioned Royal Commissioners, on the part of Their Majesties the First and Second Kings of Siam.

MR. PARKES having stated, on his arrival at Bangkok, as bearer of Her Britannic Majesty's ratification of the Treaty of Friendship and Commerce, concluded on the 18th day of April, 1855, between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and Their Majesties Phra Bard Somdetch Phra Paramendr Maha Mongkut Phra Chom Klau Chau Yu Hua, the First King of Siam, and Phra Bard Somdetch Phra Pawarendr Ramesr Mahiswarear Phra Pin Klau Chau Yu Hua, the Second King of Siam, that he was instructed by the Earl of Clarendon, Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to request the Siamese Government to consent to an enumeration of those Articles of the former Treaty, concluded in 1826, between the Honourable East India Company and Their late Majesties the First and Second Kings of Siam, which are abrogated by the Treaty first named, and also to agree to certain explanations which appear necessary to mark the precise force

and application of certain portions of the new Treaty ; Their aforesaid Majesties, the First and Second Kings of Siam, have appointed and empowered certain Royal Commissioners, namely, his Royal Highness Krom Hluang Wong-sa Dhiraj Snidh, and their Excellencies the four Senaputhies or Principal Ministers of Siam, to confer and arrange with Mr. Parkes the matters above named ; and the said Royal Commissioners having accordingly met Mr. Parkes for this purpose, on repeated occasions, and maturely considered all the subjects brought by him to their notice, have resolved :

That it is proper, in order to prevent future controversy, that those clauses of the old Treaty, which are abrogated by the new Treaty, should be distinctly specified, and that any clause of the new Treaty, which is not sufficiently clear, should be fully explained. To this end they have agreed to and concluded the following twelve Articles :

ARTICLE I.

On the Old Treaty concluded in 1826.

The Articles of the old Treaty, not abrogated by the new Treaty, are I, II, III, VIII, XI, XII, XIII, and XIV, and the undermentioned clauses of Articles VI and X :

In Article VI the Siamese desire to retain the following clause :

“ If a Siamese or English merchant buy or sell, without enquiring and ascertaining whether the seller or buyer be of a good or bad character ; and if he meet with a bad man, who takes the property and absconds, the rulers and officers on either side must make search and endeavour to produce the property of the absconder, and investigate the matter with sincerity. If the party possess money

or property, he can be made to pay; but if he does not possess any, or if he cannot be apprehended, it will be the merchant's own fault, and the authorities cannot be held responsible."

Of Article X. Mr. Parkes desires to retain that clause relating to the overland trade, which states:

" Asiatic merchants of the English countries, not being Burmese, Pegouans, or descendants of Europeans, desiring to enter into and to trade with the Siamese dominions, from the countries of Mergui, Tavoy, Tenasserim, and Ye, which are now subject to the English, will be allowed to do so freely overland and by water, upon the English furnishing them with proper certificates." Mr. Parkes however desires that all British subjects, without exception, shall be allowed to participate in this overland trade. The said Royal Commissioners therefore agree, on the part of the Siamese, that all traders, under British rule, may cross from the British territories of Mergui, Tavoy, Ye, Tenasserim, Pegu, or other places, by land or by water, to the Siamese territories, and may trade there with facility, on the condition that they shall be provided by the British authorities with proper certificates, which must be renewed for each journey.

The Commercial Agreement annexed to the old Treaty, is abrogated by the new Treaty, with the exception of the undermentioned clauses of Articles I. and IV.

Of Article I. the Siamese desire to retain the following clause :

" British Merchants importing fire-arms, shot, or gunpowder, are prohibited from selling them to any party but the Government; should the Government not require such fire-arms, shot, or gunpowder, the merchants must re-export the whole of them."

Article IV. stipulates that no charge or duty shall be levied on boats carrying cargo to British ships at the bar. The Siamese desire to cancel this clause, for the reason that the old measurement duty of 1,700 ticals per fathom included the fees of the various officers, but as this measurement duty has now been abolished, the Siamese wish to levy on each native boat taking cargo out to sea, a fee of 8 ticals, 2 salunga, this being the charge paid by Siamese traders ; and Mr. Parkes undertakes to submit this point to the consideration of Her Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of Siam.

ARTICLE II.

On the exclusive Jurisdiction of the Consul over British Subjects.

The IInd Article of the Treaty stipulates that—
 “ Any disputes arising between British and Siamese subjects, shall be heard and determined by the Consul in conjunction with the proper Siamese officers ; and criminal offenders will be punished, in the case of English offenders by the Consul according to English laws, and in the case of Siamese offenders, by their own laws, through the Siamese authorities ; but the Consul shall not interfere in any matters referring solely to Siamese, neither will the Siamese authorities interfere in questions which only concern the subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.”

On the non-interference of the Consul with the Siamese, or of the Siamese with British subjects, the said Royal Commissioners desire, in the first place, to state that while, for natural reasons, they fully approve of the Consul holding no jurisdiction over Siamese in their own country, the Siamese authorities, on the other hand, will feel themselves bound to call on the Consul to apprehend and

punish British subjects who shall commit, whilst in Siamese territory, any grave infractions of the laws, such as cutting, wounding, or inflicting other serious bodily harm. But in disputes, or in offences of a slighter nature, committed by British subjects among themselves, the Siamese authorities will refrain from all interference.

With reference to the punishment of offences, or the settlement of disputes, it is agreed :

That all criminal cases in which both parties are British subjects, or in which the defendant is a British subject, shall be tried and determined by the British Consul alone. All criminal cases in which both parties are Siamese, or in which the defendant is a Siamese, shall be tried and determined by the Siamese authorities alone.

That all civil cases in which both parties are British subjects, or in which the defendant is a British subject, shall be heard and determined by the British Consul alone. All civil cases in which both parties are Siamese, or in which the defendant is a Siamese, shall be heard and determined by the Siamese authorities alone.

That whenever a British subject has to complain against a Siamese, he must make his complaint through the British Consul, who will lay it before the proper Siamese authorities.

That in all cases in which Siamese or British subjects are interested, the Siamese authorities in the one case, and the British Consul in the other, shall be at liberty to attend at, and listen to, the investigation of the case; and copies of the proceedings will be furnished from time to time, or whenever desired, to the Consul or the Siamese authorities, until the case is concluded.

That although the Siamese may interfere so far with British subjects, as to call upon the Consul, in the manner stated in this Article, to punish

grave offences when committed by British subjects, it is agreed that—

British subjects, their persons, houses, premises, lands, ships, or property of any kind, shall not be seized, injured, or in any way interfered with by the Siamese. In case of any violation of this stipulation, the Siamese authorities will take cognizance of the case, and punish the offenders. On the other hand, Siamese subjects, their persons, houses, premises, or property of any kind shall not be seized, injured, or in any way interfered with by the English, and the British Consul shall investigate and punish any breach of this stipulation.

ARTICLE III.

On the right of British Subjects to dispose of their property at will.

By the IVth Article of the Treaty British subjects are allowed to purchase in Siam "houses, gardens, fields, or plantations." It is agreed, in reference to this stipulation, that British subjects, who have accordingly purchased houses, gardens, fields, or plantations, are at liberty to sell the same to whomsoever they please. In the event of a British subject dying in Siam, and leaving houses, lands, or other property, his relations, or those persons who are heirs according to English law, shall receive possession of the said property; and the British Consul, or some one appointed by the British Consul, may proceed at once to take charge of the said property on their account. If the deceased should have debts due to him by the Siamese, or other persons, the Consul can collect them, and if the deceased should owe money, the Consul shall liquidate his debts as far as the estate of the deceased shall suffice.

ARTICLE IV.

On the Taxes, Duties, or other Charges leviable on British Subjects.

The IVth Article of the Treaty provides for the payment on the lands held or purchased by British subjects, of "the same taxation that is levied on Siamese subjects." The taxes here alluded to are those set forth in the annexed Schedule. Again, it is stated in the VIIIth Article, that "British subjects are to pay import and export duties according to the tariff annexed to the Treaty." For the sake of greater distinctness, it is necessary to add to these two clauses the following explanation, namely, that beside the land tax and the import and export duties, mentioned in the aforesaid articles, no additional charge or tax of any kind may be imposed upon a British subject, unless it obtain the sanction both of the Supreme Siamese authorities and the British Consul.

ARTICLE V.

On Passes and Port Clearances.

The Vth Article of the Treaty provides that passports shall be granted to travellers, and the Vth Article of the Regulations that port clearances shall be furnished to ships; in reference thereto, the said Royal Commissioners, at the request of Mr. Parkes, agree that the passports to be given to British subjects travelling beyond the limits assigned by the Treaty for the residence of British subjects, together with the passes for cargo-boats and the port clearances of British ships, shall be issued within twenty-four hours after formal application for the same shall have been made to the proper Siamese authorities; but if reasonable cause should, at any time, exist for delaying or with-

holding the issue of any of these papers, the Siamese authorities must at once communicate it to the Consul.

Passports for British subjects travelling in the interior, and the port clearances of British ships, will be granted by the Siamese authorities free of charge.

ARTICLE VI.

On the Prohibition of the Exportation of Rice, Salt, and Fish, and on the duty on Paddy.

The VIIIth Article of the Treaty stipulates, that, "whenever a scarcity may be apprehended of salt, rice, and fish, the Siamese Government reserve to themselves the right of prohibiting by public proclamation the exportation of these articles."

Mr. Parkes, in elucidation of this clause, desires an agreement to this effect, namely, that a month's notice shall be given by the Siamese authorities to the Consul, prior to the enforcement of the prohibition, and that British subjects who may previously obtain special permission from the Siamese authorities to export a certain quantity of rice which they have already purchased, may do so even after the prohibition comes in force. Mr. Parkes also requests that the export duty on paddy should be half of that on rice, namely, 2 ticals per koyan.

The said Royal Commissioners having in view the fact that rice forms the principal sustenance of the nation, stipulate, that on the breaking out of war or rebellion, the Siamese may prohibit the trade in rice, and may enforce the prohibition so long as the hostilities thus occasioned shall continue. If a dearth should be apprehended on account of the want or excess of rain, the Consul will be informed one month previous to the en-

forcement of the prohibition. British merchants who obtain the royal permission upon the issue of the proclamation to export a certain quantity of rice which they have already purchased, may do so, irrespective of the prohibition to the contrary ; but those merchants who do not obtain the royal permission will not be allowed, when the prohibition takes effect, to export the rice they may already have purchased. The prohibition shall be removed as soon as the cause of its being imposed shall have ceased to exist.

Paddy may be exported on payment of a duty of 2 ticals per koyan, or half the amount levied on rice.

ARTICLE VII.

On permission to import Gold Leaf as Bullion.

Under the VIIIth Article of the Treaty, bullion may be imported or exported free of charge. With reference to this clause, the said Royal Commissioners, at the request of Mr. Parkes, agree that foreign coins of every denomination, gold and silver in bars or ingots, and gold-leaf, may be imported free ; but manufactured articles in gold and silver, plated ware, and diamonds or other precious stones, must pay an import duty of three per cent.

ARTICLE VIII.

On the establishment of a Custom House.

The said Royal Commissioners, at the request of Mr. Parkes, and in conformity with the intent of the VIIIth Article of the new Treaty, agree to the immediate establishment of a Custom House, under the superintendence of a High Government Functionary, for the examination of all goods landed or shipped, and the receipt of the import and export duties due thereon. They further

agree that the business of the Custom House shall be conducted under the regulations annexed to this agreement.

ARTICLE IX.

On the subsequent Taxation of Articles now free from Duty.

Mr. Parkes agrees with the said Royal Commissioners that whenever the Siamese Government deem it to be beneficial for the country to impose a single tax or duty on any article not now subject to a public charge of any kind, they are at liberty to do so, provided that the said tax be just and reasonable.

ARTICLE X.

On the Boundaries of the Four Mile Circuit.

It is stipulated in the IVth Article of the Treaty that: "British subjects coming to reside at Bangkok, may rent land and buy or build houses, but cannot purchase lands within a circuit of 200 *sen* (not more than 4 miles English) from the city walls, until they shall have lived in Siam for ten years, or shall obtain special authority from the Siamese Government to enable them to do so."

The points to which this circuit extends, due north, south, east, and west of the city, and the spot where it crosses the river below Bangkok, have accordingly been measured by officers on the part of the Siamese and English; and their measurements, having been examined and agreed to by the said Royal Commissioners and Mr. Parkes, are marked by stone pillars placed at the under-mentioned localities, viz. :

On the North.

One *sen* north of Wat Kemabhirataram.

On the East.

Six *sen* and seven fathoms south-west of Wat Bangkapi.

On the South.

About nineteen *sen* south of the village of Bangpakeo.

On the West.

About two *sen* south-west of the village of Bangphrom.

The pillars marking the spot where the circuit line crosses the river below Bangkok are placed on the left bank three *sen* below the village of Bangmanau, and on the right bank about one *sen* below the village of Banglampuluen.

ARTICLE XI.

On the Boundaries of the Twenty-four hours' Journey.

It is stipulated in the IVth Article of the Treaty, that "excepting within the circuit of four miles, British merchants in Siam may at any time buy or rent houses, lands, or plantations, situated anywhere within a distance of twenty-four hours' journey from the city of Bangkok, to be computed by the rate at which boats of the country can travel."

The said Royal Commissioners and Mr. Parkes have consulted together on this subject, and have agreed that the boundaries of the said twenty-four hours' journey shall be as follows :

1. *On the North.*

The Bangutsa Canal from its mouth on the Chow Phya River, to the old city walls of Lobpur, and a straight line from Lobpur to the

landing place of Tha Phra-ngam, near to the town of Saraburi, on the River Pasak.

2. *On the East.*

A straight line drawn from the landing-place of Tha Phra-ngam to the junction of the Klongkut Canal with the Bangpakong River; the Bangpakong River from the junction of the Klongkut Canal to its mouth, and the coast from the mouth of the Bangpakong River, to the isle of Srimaharajah, to such distance inland as can be reached within twenty-four hours' journey from Bangkok.

3. *On the South.*

The isle of Srimaharajah and the islands of Se Chang, on the east side of the gulf, and the city walls of Petchaburi, on the west side.

4. *On the West.*

The western coast of the gulf to the mouth of the Meklong river, to such a distance inland as can be reached within twenty-four hours' journey from Bangkok. The Meklong river, from its mouth to the city walls of Rajpury, a straight line from the city walls of Rajpury to the town of Subharnapury, and a straight line from the town of Subharnapury to the mouth of the Bangputsa canal, on the Chow Phya river.

ARTICLE XII.

On the incorporation in the Treaty of this Agreement.

The said Royal Commissioners agree, on the part of the Siamese Government, to incorporate all the Articles of this agreement in the Treaty concluded by the Siamese Plenipotentiaries and Sir John Bowring, on the 18th April, 1855, when-

ever this shall be desired by Her Britannic Majesty's Plenipotentiary.

In witness whereof the said Harry Smith Parkes, and the said Royal Commissioners, have sealed and signed this agreement in duplicate, at Bangkok, on the thirteenth day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six of the Christian era, corresponding to the ninth day of the waxing moon of the lunar month of Wesakh, in the year of the quadrupede serpent, being the year one thousand two hundred and eighteen of the Siamese astronomical era, which is the nineteenth of Her Britannic Majesty's, and sixth of Their present Siamese Majesties', reigns.

(L. S.) HARRY S. PARKES.
(Signatures and seals of the five
Royal Commissioners)

SCHEDULE OF TAXES on Garden-ground, Plantations, or other Lands.

SECTION I.—Trenched or raised lands planted with the following eight sorts of fruit trees are subject to the long assessment, which is calculated on the trees grown on the land, and not on the land itself; and the amount to be collected annually by the proper officers, and paid by them into the Royal Treasury, is endorsed on the title deeds or official certificate of tenure.

1. *Betel-nut Trees.*

1st Class (Makek), height of stem
from 3 to 4 fathoms. pay per
tree 138 cowries.

2nd Class (Makto), height of stem from 5 to 6 fathoms, pay per tree	128 cowries.
3rd Class (Maktri), height of stem from 7 to 8 fathoms, pay per tree	118 cowries.
4th Class (Mak Pakarai), trees just commencing to bear, pay per tree	128 cowries.
5th Class (Mak lek), height of stem from 1 <i>sok</i> and upwards to size of 4th class, pay per tree . . .	50 cowries.

2. *Cocoa-nut Trees.*

Of all sizes from 1 <i>sok</i> and upwards in height of stem, pay per three trees	1 salung.
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3. *Siri Vines.*

All sizes from 5 <i>sok</i> in height and upwards pay per tree or pole when trained on tunglang trees . . .	200 cowries.
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4. *Mango Trees.*

Stem of 4 <i>ham</i> in circumference at the height of 3 <i>sok</i> from the ground, or from that size and up- wards, pay per tree	1 fuang.
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5. *Map'rang Trees.*

Are assessed at the same rate as mango trees.	
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6. *Durian Trees.*

Stem of 4 <i>ham</i> in circumference at the height of 3 <i>sok</i> from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per tree . . .	1 tical.
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• 7. *Mangosteen Trees.*

Stem of 2 *kam* in circumference,
at the height of $1\frac{1}{2}$ *sok* from the
ground, pay per tree . 1 fuang.

8. *Langsat Trees.*

Are assessed at the same rate as
Mangosteen trees.

Note.—The long assessment is made under ordinary circumstances once only in each reign, and plantations or lands having once been assessed at the above mentioned rates, continue to pay the same annual sum, which is endorsed on the official certificate of tenure (subject to remissions granted in case of the destruction of the trees by drought or flood) until the next assessment is made, regardless of the new trees that may have been planted in the interval, or the old trees that may have died off. When the time for a new assessment arrives, a fresh account of the trees is taken, those that have died since the former one being omitted, and those that have been newly planted being inserted, provided they have obtained the above stated dimensions, otherwise they are free of charge.

SECTION II.—Trenched or raised lands planted with the following eight sorts of fruit trees are subject to an annual assessment, calculated on the trees grown on the lands, in the following manner, that is to say :

1. *Orange Trees.*

Five kinds (Som Kio wan, Som pluck bang, Som l'eparot, Som Kao Sungö),
stem of 6 *ngiu* in circumference,
close to the ground, or from that size
and upwards, pay per 10 trees'. . 1 fuang.

All other kinds of orange trees of the same size as the above, pay per 15 trees 1 fuang.

2. *Jack-fruit Trees.*

Stem of 6 *kam* in circumference, at the height of 2 *sok* from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per 15 trees 1 fuang.

3. *Bread-fruit Trees.*

Are assessed at the same rate as Jack-fruit trees.

4. *Mah Fai Trees.*

Stem of 4 *kam* in circumference, at the height of 2 *sok* from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per 12 trees 1 fuang.

5. *Guava Trees.*

Stem of 2 *kam* in circumference, at the height of 1 *kub* from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per 12 trees 1 fuang.

6. *Saton Trees.*

Stem of 6 *kam* in circumference, at the height of 2 *sok* from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per 5 trees 1 Fuang.

7. *Rambutan Trees.*

Stem of 4 *kam* in circumference at the height of 2 *sok* from the ground, or from that size and upwards, pay per 5 trees 1 fuang.

8. *Pine Apples.*

Pay per 1000 plants . . . 1 salung 1 fuang.

SECTION III.—The following six kinds of fruit trees, when planted in trenched or untrenched lands, or in any other manner than as plantations subject to the long assessment, described in Section I, are assessed annually at the under-mentioned rates :

Mangoes	1 fuang per tree.
Tamarinds	1 do. per 2 trees.
Custard Apples	1 do. per 20 do.
Plantains	1 do. per 50 roots.
Siri Vines (trained on poles)	1 do. per 12 vines.
Pepper Vines	1 do. per 12 do.

SECTION IV.—Trenched or raised lands planted with annuals of all sorts, pay a land tax of one salung and one fuang per *rai* for each crop.

An annual fee of three salungs and one fuang is also charged by the *nairowang* (or local tax collector) for each lot or holding of trenched land for which an official title or certificate of tenure has been taken out.

When held under the long assessment and planted with the eight sorts of fruit-trees described in Section I, the annual fee paid to the *nairowang* for each lot or holding of trenched lands for which an official title or certificate of tenure has been taken out, is two salungs.

SECTION V.—Untrenched or low lands, planted with annuals of all sorts, pay a land-tax of one salung and one fuang per *rai*, for each crop.

No land-tax is levied on these lands if left uncultivated.

Sixty cowries per tical are levied as expenses of testing the quality of the silver on all sums paid as taxes under the long assessment. Taxes

paid under the annual assessment are exempted from this charge.

Lands having once paid a tax according to one or other of the above-mentioned rates, are entirely free from all other taxes or charges.

(L.S.) HARRY S. PARKES.

(Signatures and seals of the five
Royal Commissioners.)

CUSTOM-HOUSE REGULATIONS.

1. A Custom-house is to be built at Bangkok, near to the anchorage, and officers must be in attendance there between 9 A.M. and 3 P.M. The business of the Custom-house must be carried on between those hours. The tide-waiters, required to superintend the landing or shipment of goods, will remain in waiting for that purpose, from daylight until dark.

2. Subordinate Custom-house officers shall be appointed to each ship, their number shall not be limited, and they may remain on board the vessel or in boats alongside. The Custom-house officers appointed to the vessels outside the bar will have the option of residing on board the ships, or of accompanying the cargo-boats on their passage to and fro.

3. The landing, shipment, or transshipment of goods may be carried on only between sunrise and sunset.

4. All cargo landed or shipped shall be examined and passed by the Custom-house officers within twelve hours of daylight after the receipt at the Custom-house of the proper application. The manner in which such application and examination is to be made shall be settled by the Consul and the Superintendent of Customs.

5. Duties may be paid by British merchants in

ticals, foreign coin, or bullion, the relative values of which will be settled by the Consul and the proper Siamese officers. The Siamese will appoint whomsoever they may please to receive payment of the duties.

6. The Receiver of duties may take from the merchants two salungs per catty of eighty ticals for testing the money paid to him as duties, and for each stamped receipt given by him for duties he may charge six salungs.

7. Both the Superintendent of Customs and the British Consul shall be provided with sealed sets of balance yards, money weights, and measures, which may be referred to in the event of any difference arising with the merchants as to the weight or dimensions of money or goods.

(L.S.) HARRY S. PARKES.

(Signatures and seals of the five
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*Treaty of 1826, referred to in the Agreement of
May 13, 1856.*

THE powerful Lord, who is in possession of every good, and every dignity, the God Boodh, who dwells over every head in the city of the sacred and great kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yā (titles of the King of Siam). Incomprehensible to the head and brain, the sacred beauty of the royal palace, serene and infallible there (titles of the Wang-na, or second King of Siam), have bestowed their commands upon the heads of their Excellencies, the ministers of high rank, belonging to the sacred and great kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yā, to assemble and frame a treaty with Captain Henry Burney, the English Envoy, on the part of the English government, the Honourable East India Company, who govern the countries in India belonging to

the English under the authority of the king and parliament of England; and the Right Honourable Lord Amherst, Governor of Bengal, and other English officers of high rank, have deputed Captain Burney, as an Envoy to represent them, and to frame a Treaty with their Excellencies, the ministers of high rank belonging to the sacred and great kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yă, in view that the Siamese and the English nation may become great and true friends, connected in love and affection, with genuine candour and sincerity on both sides. The Siamese and English frame two uniform copies of a treaty, in order that one copy may be placed in the kingdom of Siam, and that it may become known throughout every great and small province subject to Siam, and in order that one copy may be placed in Bengal, and that it may become known throughout every great and small province subject to the English government. Both copies of the Treaty will be attested by the royal seal, by the seals of their Excellencies the Ministers of high rank in the city of the sacred and great kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yă, and by the seals of the Right Honourable Lord Amherst, Governor of Bengal, and of the other English officers of high rank.

ARTICLE I.

The English and Siamese engage in friendship, love, and affection with mutual truth, sincerity, and candour. The Siamese must not meditate or commit evil, so as to molest the English in any manner. The English must not meditate or commit evil, so as to molest the Siamese in any manner. The Siamese must not go and molest, attack, disturb, seize, or take any place, territory or boundary, belonging to the English, in any country subject to the English. The English must not go and

molest, attack, disturb, seize, or take any place, territory, or boundary, belonging to the Siamese, in any country subject to the Siamese. The Siamese shall settle every matter within the Siamese boundaries according to their own will and customs.

ARTICLE II.

Should any place or country subject to the English do any thing that may offend the Siamese, the Siamese shall not go and injure such place or country, but first report the matter to the English, who will examine into it with truth and sincerity; and if the fault lie with the English, the English shall punish according to the fault. Should any place or country subject to the Siamese do any thing that may offend the English, the English shall not go and injure such place or country, but first report the matter to the Siamese, who will examine into it with truth and sincerity; and if the fault lie with the Siamese, the Siamese shall punish according to the fault. Should any Siamese place or country, that is near an English country, collect at any time an army or a fleet of boats, if the chief of the English country inquire the object of such force, the chief of the Siamese country must declare it. Should any English place or country, that is near a Siamese country, collect at any time an army or a fleet of boats, if the chief of the Siamese country inquire the object of such force, the chief of the English country must declare it.

ARTICLE III.

In places and countries belonging to the Siamese and English, lying near their mutual borders, whether to the east, west, north, or south, if the English entertain a doubt as to any boundary that has not been ascertained, the chief on the side of

the English must send a letter, with some men and people from his frontier posts, to go and inquire from the nearest Siamese chief, who shall depute some of his officers and people from his frontier posts to go with the men belonging to the English chief, and point out and settle the mutual boundaries, so that they may be ascertained on both sides in friendly manner. If a Siamese chief entertain a doubt as to any boundary that has not been ascertained, the chief on the side of the Siamese must send a letter, with some men and people from his frontier posts, to go and inquire from the nearest English chief, who shall depute some of his officers and people from his frontier posts, to go with the men belonging to the Siamese chief, and point out and settle the mutual boundaries, so that they may be ascertained on both sides in a friendly manner.

ARTICLE IV.

Should any Siamese subject run and go and live within the boundaries of the English, the Siamese must not intrude, enter, seize, or take such person within the English boundaries, but must report and ask for him in a proper manner ; and the English shall be at liberty to deliver the party or not. Should any English subject run and go and live within the boundaries of the Siamese, the English must not intrude, enter, seize, or take such person within the Siamese boundaries, but must report and ask for him in a proper manner ; and the Siamese shall be at liberty to deliver the party or not.

ARTICLE V.

The English and Siamese having concluded a treaty, establishing a sincere friendship between them, merchants subject to the English, and their ships, junks, and boats, may have intercourse and

trade with any Siamese country, which has much merchandize, and the Siamese will aid and protect them, and permit them to buy and sell with facility. Merchants subject to the Siamese, and their boats, junks, and ships, may have intercourse and trade with any English country, and the English will aid and protect them, and permit them to buy and sell with facility. The Siamese desiring to go to an English country, or the English desiring to go to a Siamese country, must conform to the customs of the place or country on either side: should they be ignorant of the customs, the Siamese or English officers must explain them. Siamese subjects who visit an English country must conduct themselves according to the established laws of the English country, in every particular. English subjects who visit a Siamese country must conduct themselves according to the established laws of the Siamese country in every particular.

ARTICLE VI.

Merchants subject to the Siamese or English going to trade either in Bengal or any country subject to the English, or at Bangkok, or in any country subject to the Siamese, must pay the duties upon commerce according to the customs of the place or country, on either side; and such merchants and the inhabitants of the country shall be allowed to buy and sell without the intervention of other persons in such countries. Should a Siamese or English merchant have any complaint or suit, he must complain to the officers and governors on either side, and they will examine and settle the same, according to the established laws of the place or country on either side. If a Siamese or English merchant buy or sell without inquiring and ascertaining whether the seller or buyer be of a good or bad character, and if he meet with a bad man

who takes the property and absconds, the rulers and officers must make search and produce the person of the absconder, and investigate the matter with sincerity. If the party possess money or property, he can be made to pay, but if he do not possess any, or if he cannot be apprehended, it will be the merchant's own fault.

ARTICLE VII.

A merchant subject to the Siamese or English, going to trade in any English or Siamese country, and applying to build godowns or houses, or to buy or hire shops or houses in which to place his merchandize, the Siamese or English officers and rulers shall be at liberty to deny him permission to stay. If they permit him to stay, he shall land and take up his residence according to such terms as may be mutually agreed on, and the Siamese or English officers and rulers will assist and take proper care of him, preventing the inhabitants of the country from oppressing him, and preventing him from oppressing the inhabitants of the country. Whenever a Siamese or English merchant or subject who has nothing to detain him, requests permission to leave the country and to embark with his property on board of any vessel, he shall be allowed to do so with facility.

ARTICLE VIII.

If a merchant desire to go and trade in any place or country belonging to the English or Siamese, and his ship, boat, or junk meet with any injury whatever, the English or Siamese officers shall afford adequate assistance and protection. Should any vessel belonging to the Siamese or English be wrecked in any place or country, where the English or Siamese may collect any of the property belonging to such vessel, the English or

Siamese officers shall make proper inquiry and cause the property to be restored to its owner, or in case of his death to his heir, and the owner or heir will give a proper remuneration to the persons who may have collected the property. If any Siamese or English subject die in an English or Siamese country, whatever property he may leave shall be delivered to his heir. If the heir be not living in the same country and unable to come, and appoint a person by letter to receive the property, the whole of it shall be delivered to such person.

ARTICLE IX.

Merchants, subject to the English, desiring to come and trade in any Siamese country, with which it has not been the custom to have trade and intercourse, must first go and inquire of the Governor of the country. Should any country have no merchandize, the Governor shall inform the ship that has come to trade that there is none. Should any country have merchandize sufficient for a ship, the Governor shall allow her to come and trade.

ARTICLE X.

The English and Siamese mutually agree that there shall be an unrestricted trade between them in the English countries of Prince of Wales' Island, Malacca, and Singapore, and the Siamese countries of Ligor, Merdilong Singora, Patani, Junkceylon, Queda, and other Siamese provinces. Asiatic merchants of the English countries, not being Burmese, Peguers, or descendants of Europeans, shall be allowed to trade freely overland and by means of the rivers. Asiatic merchants, not being Burmese, Peguers, or descendants of Europeans, desiring to enter into and trade with the Siamese dominions from the countries of Mergui,

Tavoy, Tenasserim, and Ye, which are now subject to the English, will be allowed to do so freely, overland and by water, upon the English furnishing them with proper certificates. But merchants are forbidden to bring opium, which is positively a contraband article in the territories of Siam; and should a merchant introduce any, the Governors shall seize, burn, and destroy the whole of it.

ARTICLE XI.

If an Englishman desire to transmit a letter to any person in a Siamese or other country, such person only, and no other, shall open and look into the letter. If a Siamese desire to transmit a letter to any person in an English or other country, such person only, and no other, shall open and look into the letter.

ARTICLE XII.

Siam shall not go and obstruct or interrupt commerce in the states of Tringano and Calantau. English merchants and subjects shall have trade and intercourse in future with the same facility and freedom as they have heretofore had, and the English shall not go and molest, attack, or disturb those states upon any pretence whatever.

ARTICLE XIII.

The Siamese engage to the English, that the Siamese shall remain in Queda and take proper care of that country, and of its people; the inhabitants of Prince of Wales' Island and of Queda shall have trade and intercourse as heretofore; the Siamese shall levy no duty upon stock and provisions, such as cattle, buffaloes, poultry, fish, paddy, and rice, which the inhabitants of Prince of Wales' Island or ships there may have occasion to pur-

chase in Queda; and the Siamese shall not farm the mouths of rivers or any streams in Queda, but shall levy fair and proper import and export duties. The Siamese further engage, that when Chao Phya of Ligor returns from Bangkok, he shall release the slaves, personal servants, family, and kindred belonging to the former Governor of Queda, and permit them to go and live wherever they please. The English engage to the Siamese, that the English do not desire to take possession of Queda, that they will not attack or disturb it, *nor permit the former Governor of Queda, or any of his followers, to attack, disturb, or injure in any manner the territory of Queda, or any other territory subject to Siam. The English engage that they will make arrangements for the former Governor of Queda to go and live in some other country, and not at Prince of Wales' Island or Pnye, or in Perak, Salengore, or any Burmese country. If the English do not let the former Governor of Queda go and live in some other country, as here engaged, the Siamese may continue to levy an export duty upon paddy and rice in Queda.** The English will not prevent any Siamese, Chinese, or other Asiatics at Prince of Wales' Island, from going to reside in Queda if they desire it.

ARTICLE XIV.

The Siamese and English mutually engage that the Rajah of Perak shall govern his country according to his own will. Should he desire to send the gold and silver flowers to Siam as heretofore, the English will not prevent his doing as he may desire. If Chao Phya of Ligor desire to send down to Perak, with friendly intentions, forty (40) or fifty (50) men, whether Siamese, Chinese,

* NOTE.—The clauses in italics had already been annulled at the request of the Court of Siam.

or other Asiatic subjects of Siam, or if the Rajah of Perak desire to send any of his ministers or officers to seek Chao Phya of Ligor, the English shall not forbid them. The Siamese or English shall not send any force to go and molest, attack, or disturb Perak. The English will not allow the State of Salengore to attack or disturb Perak, and the Siamese shall not go and attack or disturb Salengore. The arrangements stipulated in these two last articles respecting Perak and Queda, Chao Phya of Ligor shall execute as soon as he returns home from Bangkok.

The fourteen Articles of this Treaty let the great and subordinate Siamese and English officers, together with every great and small province hear, receive, and obey without fail. Their Excellencies the ministers of high rank, at Bangkok, and Captain Henry Burney, whom the Right Honourable Lord Amherst, Governor of Bengal, deputed as an Envoy to represent his Lordship, framed this Treaty together in the presence of Prince Krom Meun Soorin Thiraksa, in the city of the sacred and great Kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yā.

The Treaty, written in the Siamese, Malayan, and English languages, was concluded on Tuesday, the first day of the seventh decreasing moon, 1188, year dog 8, according to the Siamese Æra, corresponding with the twentieth day of June, 1826, of the European Æra.

Both copies of the Treaty are sealed and attested by their Excellencies the ministers, and by Captain Henry Burney. One copy Captain Henry Burney will take for the ratification of the Governor of Bengal; and one copy, bearing the royal seal, Chao Phya of Ligor will take and place at Queda. Captain Burney appoints to return to Prince of Wales' Island in seven months, in the second moon of the year dog 8, and to exchange the ratifications of

this Treaty with Phra Phak-di-Bori-rak, at Queda. The Siamese and English shall form a friendship that shall be perpetuated, that shall know no end or interruption as long as Heaven and Earth endure.

(A literal translation from the Siamese.)

(Signed) H. BURNEY, *Captain,
Envoy to the Court of Siam.*

(King
of Siam's
Seal.) (Signed) AMHERST. (L.S.)

Ratified by the Right Honourable the Governor-General, in camp at Agra, this seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven.

By Command of the Governor-General,
(Signed) A. STIRLING,
*Secretary to Government,
In attendance on the Governor-General.*

*Commercial Agreement annexed to the Treaty
of 1826.*

Their Excellencies the Ministers and Captain Henry Burney having settled a Treaty of friendship, consisting of fourteen articles, now frame the following agreement with respect to English vessels desiring to come and trade in the city of the sacred and great kingdom of Si-a-yoo-tha-yä, (Bangkok.)

ARTICLE I.

Vessels belonging to the subjects of the English Government, whether Europeans or Asiatics, desiring to come and trade at Bangkok, must conform to the established laws of Siam in every particular. Merchants coming to Bangkok are prohibited from purchasing paddy or rice for the pur-

pose of exporting the same as merchandize; and if they import fire-arms, shot, or gunpowder, they are prohibited from selling them to any party but to the Government. Should the Government not require such fire-arms, shot, or gunpowder, the merchants must re-export the whole of them. With exception to such warlike stores, and paddy and rice, merchants subjects of the English, and merchants at Bangkok, may buy and sell without the intervention of any other person, and with freedom and facility. Merchants coming to trade shall pay at once the whole of the duties and charges consolidated according to the breadth of the vessel.

If the vessel bring an import cargo, she shall be charged seventeen hundred (1,700) ticals for each Siamese fathom in breadth.

If the vessel bring no import cargo, she shall be charged fifteen hundred (1,500) ticals for each Siamese fathom in breadth.

No import, export, or other duty shall be levied upon the buyers or sellers from or to English subjects.

ARTICLE II.

Merchant vessels, the property of English subjects, arriving off the bar, must first anchor and stop there, and the commander of the vessel must despatch a person with an account of the cargo, and a return of the people, guns, shot, and powder, on board the vessel, for the information of the Governor, at the mouth of the river, who will send a pilot and interpreter to convey the established regulations to the commander of the vessel. Upon the pilot bringing the vessel over the bar, she must anchor and stop below the chokey, which the interpreter will point out.

ARTICLE III.

The proper officers will go on board the vessel and examine her thoroughly; and after the guns, shot, and powder have been removed and deposited at Paknam (port at the mouth of the Menam), the Governor of Paknam will permit the vessel to pass up to Bangkok.

ARTICLE IV.

Upon the vessel's arriving at Bangkok, the officers of the customs will go on board and examine her, open the hold, and take an account of whatever cargo may be on board; and after the breadth of the vessel has been measured and ascertained, the merchants will be allowed to buy and sell according to the first Article of this agreement. Should a vessel, upon receiving an export cargo, find that she cannot cross the bar with the whole, and that she must hire cargo boats to take down a portion of the cargo, the officers of the customs and chokeys shall not charge any further duty upon such cargo boats.

ARTICLE V.

Whenever a vessel or cargo boat completes her lading, the commander of the vessel must go and ask Chao Phya Phra Khlang for a port clearance, and if there be no cause for detention, Chao Phya Phra Khlang shall deliver the port clearance without delay. When the vessel upon her departure arrives at Paknam, she must anchor, and stop at the usual chokey, and after the proper officers have gone on board and examined her, the vessel may receive her guns, shot, and powder, and take her departure.

ARTICLE VI.

Merchants being subjects of the English Government, whether Europeans or Asiatics, the commanders, officers, lascars, and the whole of the crew of vessels, must conform to the established laws of Siam and to the stipulations of this Treaty, in every particular. If merchants of every class do not observe the Articles of this Treaty, and oppress the inhabitants of the country, become thieves or bad men, kill men, speak offensively of, or treat disrespectfully, any great or subordinate officers of the country, and the case become important in any way whatever, the proper officers shall take jurisdiction of it, and punish the offender. If the offence be homicide, and the officers, upon investigation, see that it proceeded from evil intention, they shall punish with death. If it be any other offence, and the party be the commander or officer of a vessel, or a merchant, he shall be fined. If he be of a lower rank, he shall be whipped or imprisoned, according to the established laws of Siam. The Governor of Bengal will prohibit English subjects, desiring to come and trade at Bangkok, from speaking disrespectfully or offensively to or of the great officers in Siam. If any person at Bangkok oppress any English subject, he shall be punished according to his offence in the same manner.

The six Articles of this Agreement, let the officers at Bangkok, and merchants subject to the English, fulfil and obey in every particular.

(A literal translation from the Siamese.)

(Signed) H. BURNEY, *Captain,*
Envoy to the Court of Siam.

(King
of Siam's
Seal.) (Signed) AMHERST. (L.S.)

Ratified by the Right Honourable the Governor-General, in camp, at Agra, this seventeenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven.

By Command of the Governor-General.

(Signed) A. STIRLING,

Secretary to Government,

In attendance on the Governor-General.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 26,
1856.

Foreign-Office, February 15, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Lyons McLeod, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Mozambique.

Downing-Street, September 24, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Henry Barkly, K.C.B., to be Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief in and over the Colony of Victoria.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint William Snagg, Esq., to be Chief Justice of the Islands of Antigua and Montserrat.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Philip Burnard Ayres, Esq., M.D., to be Superintendent of Quarantine at Flat Island, in the Dependencies of Mauritius; and John Benbow, Esq., M.D., to be Medical Officer for the Seychelles Islands.

Whitehall, September 25, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Samuel Charlesworth to the Rectory of Limpsfield, in the county of Surrey, and diocese of Winchester, void by the promotion of the Reverend Charles Baring, D.D., to the Bishoprick of Gloucester and Bristol.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 25, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Leipzig, reporting that the duties on corn, pulse, flour, and bread stuffs, &c., imported into the States of the German Customs' Union, have been further suspended until the 31st December next.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
26th September, 1856.*

25th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Sir Henry Somerset, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice General Sir Henry Frederick Campbell, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 3rd September, 1856.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
26th September, 1856.*

14th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Thomas Phillips, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Dew, promoted. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Royal Engineers. The surname of the Second Captain, promoted on the 18th ultimo, is *Fyers*, and not *Fyors*, as previously stated.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Henry Charles Eden Malet to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Cust, promoted. Dated 26th September, 1856.

The Honourable Charles Ernest Edgecumbe to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Malet. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Norman Leslie Melville, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice W. D., Viscount Stormont, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1856.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Francis Barker Hassard, from the 6th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lawrell, who exchanges. Dated 25th September, 1856.

6th Foot, Lieutenant Henry John Lawrell, from the 1st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Hassard, who exchanges. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Quartermaster-Serjeant James Cranney to be Quartermaster, vice Croker, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 26th September, 1856.

19th Foot, Captain Richard Young, from the 98th Foot, to be Captain, vice Mitford, who exchanges. Dated 26th September, 1856.

24th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Macdonald Burns to be Captain, without purchase, vice R. A. Croker, deceased. Dated 20th July, 1856.

Ensign Walter B. Logan, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Burns. Dated 20th July, 1856.

25th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Winter Sheppard, from the 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Manners, who exchanges. Dated 26th September, 1856.

33rd Foot, Lieutenant John James Greenwood to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major William Pretyma, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th September, 1856.

43rd Foot, Lieutenant Robert M. Pakenham to be Captain, by purchase, vice Girardot, who retires. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Ensign Vere Fane to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pakenham. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Ensign Thomas McGoun, from the 51st Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Fane. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Croker, from the 98th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Browne, promoted in 83rd Foot. Dated 26th September, 1856.

47th Foot, Ensign Thomas Quinn has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 26th September, 1856.

51st Foot, Frederick Thomas Humfrey, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Scott, promoted. Dated 26th September, 1856.

John Burton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice McGoun, appointed to the 43rd Foot, Dated 27th September, 1856.

54th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Alexander Thomson to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Francis John Griffin, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Ensign Joseph William Hughes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Thomson. Dated 26th September, 1856.

74th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Currie, from the 84th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Blake, who exchanges. Dated 29th July, 1856.

83rd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Robert Browne, from the 43rd Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Stephenson, deceased. Dated 14th July, 1856.

84th Foot, Lieutenant George Pilkington Blake, from the 74th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Currie, who exchanges. Dated 29th July, 1856.

97th Foot, Lieutenant Douglas Ernest Manners, from 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Sheppard, who exchanges. Dated 26th September, 1856.

98th Foot, Captain Henry Mitford, from the 19th Foot, to be Captain, vice Young, who exchanges. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon James McNeill Beatty, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Croker, appointed to 43rd Foot. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Joseph Ashton has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Charles Harrington Harris, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Barnard, promoted. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Charles Currie, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cartwright, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Warden, 19th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable St. G. Gerald Foley, C.B., Captain on half-pay Unattached, to have the Substantive Rank of Major, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 22nd August, 1856.

Lieutenant the Honourable Algernon T. Moreton, from 3rd Light Dragoons, to be Captain, by purchase. Dated 26th September, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Inspector-General of Hospitals, with local rank in Turkey, **Thomas Alexander, C.B.,** to be Inspector-General of Hospitals, with local rank in Canada. Dated 21st July, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

John Hutchinson Hammond. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Augustus Otto William Swaine, M.D. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Thomas Wiley. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Samuel Job. Dated 26th September, 1856.

James Greig Leask, M.B. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Thomas William Spink Locke. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Thomas Brickenden Blandford. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Alfred Sanders. Dated 26th September, 1856.

BREVET.

Brevet-Major Francis John Griffin, retired full pay 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 26th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Quartermaster, retired upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of 17th December, 1855 :

Quartermaster John Croker, half-pay 6th Foot.
Dated 26th September, 1856.

The undermentioned Cadet of the East India Company's Service, to have the local and temporary rank of Ensign during the period of his being placed under the command of Colonel Sandham, of the Royal Engineers, at Chatham, for Field Instruction in the art of Sapping and Mining :

Patrick Montgomery, Gent. Dated 26th September, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain Robert Nairne Boyes, upon half-pay of 3rd West India Regiment, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, he being about to become a Settler at the Cape of Good Hope. Dated 26th September, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 30,
1856.

War-Department, September 30, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the Honourable John Duncan Bligh, C.B., sometime Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Hanover; of

Arthur Charles Magenis, Esq., Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Sweden and Norway; and of John Fiennes Crampton, Esq., sometime Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the United States of America, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign-Office, September 1, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Samuel Lennon Hunt, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Monte Video, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Porto Rico.

Whitehall, September 27, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Evan Mackenzie Masson to the church at Kinloch Likart, or Kinloch Linchart, in the parish of Contin, in the presbytery of Dingwall, and shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Charles Maclean, late Minister thereof, to the church of Ullapool.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend James Cameron Lees to the church at Carnoch in Strathconan, in the presbytery of Dingwall, and shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend William Charles Middleton Grant, late Minister thereof, to the church of Durness.

Whitehall, September 29, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, ap-

pointing Sir Thomas Nicholas Redington, K.C.B.; Robert Andrews, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel; Robert Wilfred Skeffington Lutwidge, Esq., Barrister-at-Law; James Wilkes, Esq.; and Dominick John Corrigan, Esq., M.D., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the state of the Lunatic Asylums and other institutions for the custody and treatment of the insane now existing in Ireland, and also into the present state of the law respecting lunatics and lunatic asylums in that part of the said United Kingdom.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, enclosing copy of a recent Portuguese Law, by which the law permitting the importation of Indian corn into Portugal, at certain rates of duty, until the end of June, 1857, has been extended to the Azores Islands.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, reporting that foreign cereals imported into Portugal will be subject to an additional duty of 10 reis per alquiere.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, forwarding copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing a duty of 25 francs per 100 kilogrammes on all salted fish, or fish prepared with oil, imported from abroad.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, prolonging until the 31st December, 1857, the prohibition to export barley and wheat from Algeria.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, prolonging until the 31st of December, 1857, the privilege granted to foreign vessels to carry on the transport trade as respects grains, flour, rice, potatoes, and dried vegetables, between France and Algeria, and that such vessels will enjoy this privilege, whose departure from port have taken place prior to the 31st of December, 1857.

War-Department, Pall-Mall.

30th September, 1856.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant M. W. Viscount Powerscourt to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Davenport, who retires. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Royal Horse Guards, Cornet Henry Peach Keighly Peach to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Inglis Jones, who retires. Dated 30th September, 1856.

7th Light Dragoons. The appointment of Charles Lee Wore, Gent., to a Cornetcy by purchase, as stated in the Gazette of the 29th August, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 30th September, 1856.

14th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Frederick Vansittart has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 30th September, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Captain Stanhope L. Douglas Willan, from the 13th Foot, to be Captain, vice Grimston, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

3rd Foot, Captain Charles Dresing, from the 58th Foot, to be Captain, vice Burningham, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

13th Foot, Captain William Henry Grimston, from the 2nd Foot, to be Captain, vice S. L. D. Willan, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

18th Foot, Lieutenant William Norris Franklyn has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated the 30th September, 1856.

19th Foot, Captain George Bingham Jennings to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieu-

- tenant-Colonel Robert Warden, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of the 6th October, 1854. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 23rd Foot*, Captain Robert Follett Synge, from the 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice Jebb, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 24th Foot*, Captain Richard Thomas Glyn, from the 82nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Baillie, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- Lieutenant John C. Warne, from the 89th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Parsons, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 28th Foot*, Captain Thomas Basil Tuite, from the 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice Worthington, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 58th Foot*, Captain Henry G. C. Burningham, from the 3rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Dresing, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 64th Foot*, Lieutenant John Hudson to be Adjutant, vice McCrea, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 19th January, 1856.
- 67th Foot*, Captain Henry C. Worthington, from the 28th Foot, to be Captain, vice Tuite, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- Captain Frederick William Jebb, from the 23rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Synge, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 71st Foot*, Assistant-Surgeon Walter Leach, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Todd, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 82nd Foot*, Captain William Douglas Hall Baillie, from the 24th Foot, to be Captain, vice Glyn, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

89th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick William Adam Parsons, from the 24th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Warne, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, George Hope Ross, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lynott, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, James Henry Randell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Godfrey Clerk, promoted, by purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 30th September, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Brevet-Colonel W. S. Ramsay Norcott, C.B., from the Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Dixon, C.B., from the 77th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Thomas Heyland, from the 95th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard C. H. Taylor, from the 79th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Cyril Goodenough, from the 34th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Elmhirst, from the 9th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alfred Street, C.B., from the 57th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Wells Armstrong, from the 49th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel John W. S. Smith, from the 38th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmond Augustus Whitmore, from the 30th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward John Vesey Brown, from the 88th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Majors.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Angier Godfrey Muller, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William West Turner, C.B., from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Robert Bruce, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major James Rose, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Alastair McIan McDonald, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major William Rickman, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major John Nason, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major John Peel, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Montagu Hamilton Dowbiggin, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major William Pretymann, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Robert B. Hawley, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Charles Hood, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Adjutants.

Captain James Baillie, from the 77th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Richard B. T. Thelwall, 65th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Peter Macdonald, from half-pay, Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Robert J. Hughes, from the 1st Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Thomas L. Bell, from the 28th Foot.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Honourable Bernard Mathew Ward, from
the 47th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain William Little, from the 88th Foot.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major John Peel, 34th Foot, to have his
Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank,
under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Oliver Barker D'Arcey, from the 65th
Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated
30th September, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard Cooper Todd, from the
71st Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Leach,
who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned promotions to take place,
consequent upon the death or promotion of the
following Officers :

General the Earl of Cork, died 29th June, 1856 ;
General Sir H. F. Campbell, died 2nd September,
1856 ;

General Sir Colin Halkett, died 24th September,
1856 ;—

Lieutenant-General T. B. Aylmer to be General.
Dated 25th September, 1856.

Lieutenant-General Philip Hay, died 8th August,
1856 ;

Lieutenant-General W. A. Gordon, C.B., died
10th August, 1856 ;—

Lieutenant-General T. B. Aylmer promoted in succession to three Generals, deceased. 25th September, 1856.

Major-General William George Cochrane to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 26th September, 1856.

Lieutenant-General W. A. Gordon, C.B., died 10th August, 1856 ;

General Sir H. F. Campbell, K.C.B., died 2nd September, 1856 ;

Major-General James Jones, died 22nd September, 1856 ;—

Colonel William Booth, half-pay, 41st Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 23rd September, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Phipps Raymond, Depôt Battalion, to be Colonel. Dated 23rd September, 1856.

Major Paris W. Augustus Bradshawe, half-pay Unattached, Assistant Adjutant-General, Van Dieman's Land, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 23rd September, 1856.

Captain Edward C. Butler, 36th Foot, to be Major. Dated 23rd September, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

West Kent Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Henry Pratt, Gent., to be Quartermaster from the 29th July, 1856. Dated 23rd August, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lovick Loftus Reade, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 23rd August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

John Gregson Harrison, Esq., M.D., to be
Surgeon, vice Echlin, resigned, Dated 1st
September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

William Howard Russell, Gent., to be Ensign,
vice Schlotel, appointed to 81st Regiment.
Dated 15th September, 1856.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 3,
1856.*

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 3, 1856.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the
Committee of Privy Council for Trade and
Plantations have received, through the Secretary
of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch
from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, en-
closing copy of a French Imperial Decree, con-
verting the ad valorem duty hitherto levied upon
tobacco imported into Algeria, into the following
duties, chargeable by weight :

Tobacco, in leaf or stalk, 10 francs per 100 kilos.

Tobacco, manufactured, 20 francs per 100 kilos.

Except tobacco imported from France, and bear-
ing the Government stamp and mark.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,**3rd October, 1856.*

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards. The surname of the Ensign and Lieutenant appointed on the 26th September, 1856, is *Edgcumbe*, and not *Edgecumbe*, as previously stated.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Archibald Edward Cochrane Forster, from the 64th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Alban, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

3rd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Stanhope Smelt, from the 98th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Heywood, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

20th Foot, Brevet-Major Charles Richard Butler to be Major, by purchase, vice Berdmore, who retires. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

21st Foot, Lieutenant Henry Brackenbury, from the 61st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Hutton, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

29th Foot, Lieutenant Warrington Taylor has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

30th Foot, Lieutenant Stephenson S. Bristowe, from the 81st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Neville, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

57th Foot, Captain Octavius Latouche, from the 98th Foot, to be Captain, vice Venables, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

61st Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Bruce Hutton, from the 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Henry Brackenbury, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

64th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Alban, from the 1st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Forster, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

81st Foot, Lieutenant Rothes Hastings Neville, from the 30th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bristowe, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

98th Foot, Captain Cavendish Venables, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice Latouche, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Sidney Henry Heywood, from the 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Smelt, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Rifle Brigade. The second Christian name of Captain Arthur Nixon is *James*.

LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Quartermaster William Todd has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

To be Majors.

Major Robert L. Ross, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major Charles Carew de Morel, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Adjutant.

Captain George P. Drought, from the 50th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Quartermaster.

Quartermaster John Thompson, from half pay of the Consolidated Cavalry Depôt, vice John Taylor, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st October, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant James MacQueen, from the 17th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, without purchase.
Dated 30th September, 1856.

STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur James Herbert, upon half-pay Unattached, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General to the Forces serving in the Ionian Islands, vice Brevet-Colonel Walpole, whose period of Staff service has expired.
Dated 3rd October, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services:—

George Leworthy Thorne. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

Francis Hyde Forshall. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Quartermaster, retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of the 17th December, 1855:—

Quartermaster John Taylor, half-pay, Depôt Battalion. Dated 3rd October, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet William Seddon to be Lieutenant, vice Tailby, resigned. Dated 4th September, 1856.

Francis Henry Beaumont, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Seddon, promoted. Dated 4th September, 1856.

William Derington, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Macaulay, resigned. Dated 4th September, 1856.

Cornet Richard Lewis De Capel Brooke to be Lieutenant, vice Marshall, resigned. Dated 24th September, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

James Reid, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Dr. Stammers, resigned. Dated 29th September, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 7,
1856.

Whitehall, October 6, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint James Goodsell Middleton, Esq., to be Major in the Artillery Company of London, in the room of Samuel Barnard, Esq., resigned.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her

Majesty's Minister at Parana, enclosing copy of a Law recently passed by the Argentine Legislature levying duties, as follows, upon merchandize brought into any of the provinces of the Argentine Confederation from within the Capes at the mouth of the River Plate, and which law will come into effect in the month of February, 1857.

ARTICLE I.

1st. Merchandize not subject to specific duty shall pay double the ordinary duty.

2nd. Merchandize subject to specific duty shall, on its introduction, be subject to an additional duty of 30 per cent., ad valorem.

ARTICLE II.

Merchandize which may be introduced directly from outside the Capes by the said ports shall continue to pay only the ordinary duty.

ARTICLE III.

The natural and manufactured products of the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay, of the Republic of Paraguay, and of the Brazilian possessions situated within the Capes, introduced directly by the said ports come within the preceding article.

ARTICLE IV.

The natural and manufactured products of the Province of Buenos Ayres shall be admitted free of duty as national products.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her

Majesty's Consul-General at Hamburgh, enclosing copy of a Proclamation of the Senator of the Hamburgh Marschlands, prohibiting, under a penalty of 50 dollars for each case, the importation of cattle from the Duchies of Holstein and Lauenburg, unless accompanied by a certificate from the authorities of the place from whence such cattle are imported, stating the district to be free from the pulmonary epidemic prevailing in those districts. Their Lordships have also received information that a similar prohibition has been enforced in the territory of Lubeck, as regards the cattle imported from the Duchies of Mecklenburgh Schwerin, Mecklenburgh Strelitz, and Holstein, unless accompanied by a like certificate.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 6, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, enclosing a copy of a Circular addressed by the Greek Minister for Foreign Affairs to the Agents abroad of the Government, desiring them to bring to the notice of foreign capitalists the intention of the Government to concede to foreign companies various public works about to be undertaken.

The following are the works to which this circular has especial reference :

1. Drainage of lakes.
2. Construction of roads.
3. Construction of ports.

The conditions being as follows :

The works to be executed at the expense and on account of the Companies, according to plans

previously drawn out and approved by the Government.

The Company will be required to deposit in the National Bank, if required by the Government, a sum in proportion to the importance of the work to be undertaken, as a guarantee for the fulfilment of the engagements, both as regards the time fixed for the execution of the works, as also the other conditions attached to the concession.

In satisfaction of these obligations the Greek Government will make the following concessions:—

A.—Drainage of Lakes.

To every Company undertaking works of this nature the Government will grant—

(a.) The revenue derived during a fixed time and free from any impost, or else a certain settled quantity of the land obtained.

(b.) Freedom from customs duties on all tools, machinery, &c., required for the prosecution of the works, as also upon the implements and seeds required for the culture of the land. Should the Company desire, for the purpose of cultivating such land, to introduce settlers, such settlers will enjoy, in addition to the privileges above mentioned, the following immunities, subject however to the ordinance of the 4th April, 1834.

Freedom from all customs' duties on:—

1. Wearing apparel required by them and already used.
2. Necessary domestic furniture.
3. Carts, animals, &c., required for their service.
4. Necessary implements and all other advantages referred to in the above-mentioned ordinance.

(c.) The Government will further grant to such settlers, land for the erection of houses, ware-

houses, churches, schools, &c., and for gardens, as also the land required for roads, public places, &c., agreeably to the plans drawn up. In case the land should not be granted to the Company for a fixed time on the terms of an entire franchise, the settlers will not be subject to any personal tax or land tax.

B.—*Construction of Roads.*

The following advantages will be granted to the undertakers of these works:—

(a.) The land necessary for their construction and free right to obtain the necessary materials.

(b.) The right to levy fixed tolls.

(c.) All necessary implements imported for making and maintaining the roads to be free from customs duty.

(d.) In respect to certain roads a minimum interest of 5 per cent. will be granted upon an amount of capital to be determined upon.

C.—*Construction of Ports.*

The Government will make the following concessions to undertakers of works of this nature:

(a.) Port duties and other charges established by the laws in force, and levied on account of the Exchequer.

(b.) Complete freedom from all import duties on machinery and implements required for the works.

(c.) And lastly, a minimum guarantee of 5 per cent. for a certain period upon a capital to be determined upon.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 7, 1856.*

In the Notice which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th ultimo, respecting the duties on the

importation of fish into France, for "salted fish," read "pickled fish."

The Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Earl of Clarendon, an extract from the "Moniteur," rectifying an error in the French Imperial Decree respecting the importation of tobacco into Algeria, which appeared on the 27th September last, and a translation of which was inserted in the London Gazette of the 3rd instant.

The Decree, as corrected, applies exclusively to the *octroi de mer*.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kincardine.*

Sir James Horn Burnett, Bart., to be Vice Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Flint.*

William Bryan Cooke, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

William John Burford Standidge, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Keane, resigned. Dated 14th August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kent.*

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

Amelius Sicard, Gent., to be Surgeon, vice Curtis, resigned. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 25, 1856.

Whereas it is enacted by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, that "the Board of Trade may, with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, appoint any officer of the Customs or of the Coast Guard, or any officer of Inland Revenue, or any other Person, to be a Receiver of Wreck in any district, and to perform such duties as are hereinafter mentioned, and shall give due notice of every such appointment." Now this is to give notice, that the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade, with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, have been pleased to appoint the following Persons to be Receivers of Wreck for the districts stated against their respective names.

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Aberystwith .	Pierce Evans, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Borth Gwasted, parish of Llanfanchael Geneurglyn, to river Airth, parish of Lladdeur Aberarth.

Barnstaple	Richard White, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the mouth of the stream of water dividing the counties of Devon and Somerset, to the bar of Barnstaple, and from thence to an imaginary line drawn from Niston Church to the Custom House Watch House, at Appledore. It also includes Lundy Island.
Berwick	Henry Gates, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Berwick to St. Abb's Head.
Bideford	Clifford Gill, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the Gull Rock (six miles below Hartland Point) to the entrance of Bideford and Barnstaple Bar, thence on the south side of the harbour channel to the Custom House Watch House at Appledore, and from thence in an imaginary line to Juston Church.
Bridgwater	George Williams, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the mouth of river Axe to Glenthouse.
Bridlington	Captain John P. Palmes, R.N., Inspecting Commander of Coast Guard	From Flamborough Head to Sandlemere.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Bridport .	Thomas Love, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the stream called Burton Gyle to the western bank of river Char.
Bristol .	Ambrose Foote, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the westernmost part of the Holmes, up the Bristol Channel to Aust, and from the Holmes southward athwart the said channel to Uphill, which is included, and from thence along the shore to Aust aforesaid.
		Also from Holesmouth, in King-road, up the river Avon to Bristol, including the several Pills lying on the said river. It also includes Betteasley, lying on the north side of the River Severn.
Cardiff .	William Peake, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the river Rumney to Nash Point.
Chester .	John Ralph, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Point of Air, to Redstones at Hoylake,

Colchester	Robert Raggett, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Naze Point to Tollesbury Point.
Cowes	Henry J. Clark, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Yarmouth to Cowes, and thence eastward to Brading Harbour.
Douglas (Isle of Man)	George H. Anderson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Mangholds Head (on the eastern side of the island) in a southwardly and westwardly direction, to and including the Calf of Man, and thence in a northwardly and eastwardly direction to Jerby Point, on the western side of the island.
Falmouth	Frederick Swatman, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Deadman's Point to the Lizard Point.
Fleetwood	John King Groom, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the gutter called Blackpool to the foot of the river Broad-flat.
Faversham	F. Waring, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Sluice Bridge, at Faversham, up the East Swale to a supposed line between Elmley Chapel and Swale Church, and round the Isle of Sheppey, in an easterly direction to Landsend, in the parish of Warden.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Gloucester .	Henry Grove, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Westgate Bridge, in the city of Gloucester, to a supposed line between Aust and St. Jecla's Point, at Beachley.
Hartlepool .	John Mackenzie, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the south side of the town of Seaton Carew, to and including Eden Deane.
Holyhead .	David Lennox, Esq., Principal Coast Officer of Customs	From Holyhead to Camaes, and from Holyhead to Maltreith.
Hull .	James Sparrow, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Sandlemere to Spurn Point.
Ipswich .	John Adley, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Ipswich (inclusive) to a supposed line extending from Levington Creek to Till's Hole.
Liverpool .	Samuel Price Edwards, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the red stones in Hoylake (inclusive) at the entrance of the river Dee on the Cheshire shore, to Bootle on the Lancashire coast, including the river Mersey.

London .	William Pritchard, Esq., Queen's Warehouse Keeper	From Gravesend on the south side of the Thames, and Barking Creek on the north side ; along both sides of the Thames in a westwardly direction as far as the tide flows.
Lowestoft	John Robertson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Hopton on the north, to and including Covehithe on the south.
Maryport	Henry Lindsay, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the point where the stream called Canker Beck enters the Sea, S.S.W. of Maryport, to the stream called Crossbeck, to the N.E. of Maryport.
Newcastle	Joseph Baldwin, Esq., Collector of Customs	Comprising the whole of the river Tyne above White Hill Point Sand on the one side, and Jarrow Quay on the other.
Plymouth	John Stewart, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the west side of Ernemouth, at the entrance of Bigbury Bay, to the east of the river Seaton.
Poole .	George J. Baumbach, Collector of Customs	From Christ Church Head to Durlstone Head, alias Black Head, in the Island of Purbeck.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Portsmouth .	Daniel Colquhoun, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the most westwardly part of the parish of Bosham, in the county of Sussex, to Hell Head, in Hampshire.
Ramsey (Isle of Man) Rochester .	Robert Hicks, Esq., Collector of Customs William Redpath, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Jerby Point in a northwardly direction to Manghold's Head. From that part of the shore due north of the Round Tree in the parish of Milton-next-Gravesend, to Landsend in the Isle of Sheppey, including the whole of the river Medway and the West Swale as far southward as a supposed right line from Elmley Chapel to Swale Church.
St. Ives .	Thomas Love, Collector of Customs	From Bresan Rock, on the north side of the Landsend, to Chapel on Gardow in Peran in Zebalow, commonly called Peran Sands.
Scarborough .	John P. Hayton, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the most easterly part of Flamborough Head to Pease Holme Beck.

Southampton .	William A. Buckle, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Southampton to a supposed line between Calshot and Hell Head.
Stockton .	John Shelley, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Salthome on the river Tees to the south end of Seaton Carew.
Sunderland .	William Wilcox, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Castle Eden Deane to Seaham.
Swansea .	Edward Waters, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Neath to Nash Point.
Truro . .	Thomas Ferris, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Truro, down the river Truro to a supposed line between Myler Church and Messick Point.
Weymouth .	Robert D. Clague, Esq., Collector of Customs	From St. Alban's Head, to the Bill of Portland; and up Weymouth Stream to Weymouth Bridge.
Whitby .	Patrick Black, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Pease Holm Beck to Huntcliff Foot.
Whitehaven .	John Carlisle, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the south side of Duddon Bridge, down the mid-stream of the river Duddon, and thence along the coast to the stream of water called Lower Beck.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Workington .	Robert Innes, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the point where the stream called Lower Beck enters the sea, to a stream called Canker Beck.
Yarmouth .	John Richardson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Hopton on the south, to Gorleston Harbour on the north (both inclusive).

SCOTLAND.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Aberdeen .	Kenneth Mackenzie, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the north bank of river Ytham to Todhead.
Alloa .	John T. Ansell, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Kincardine, in the county of Perth, to Stirling, in the county of Stirling.
Arbroath .	Thomas Jones, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the lighthouse nearest to Dundee on Buttonness, to the promontory of Readhead (inclusive).

Ayr . . .	James Stewart, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the Sand-house, in Carleton Bay, to New Burn (exclusive) including the island of Ailsa.
Banff . . .	John Bold, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Powd Burn, in the county of Aberdeen, to and including the west bank of the mouth of river Spey, in Morayshire.
Borrowstoness	John Mackenzie, Esq., Collector of Customs	From a supposed line between the east side of Avon Water and the New Pans of Kincardine, to a supposed line between Downey Point and the west side of Cramond Water.
Campbeltown .	Edward G. Bursey, Esq., Col- lector of Customs	From Crinan, in a southwardly direction, along the west coast of Kintyre, to the Mull of Kintyre, and thence in a north- wardly direction along the east coast of Kintyre, through the Crinan Canal, to Crinan aforesaid, including the islands of Islay, Jura, Colonsay, Oronsay, Giglia, Cara, and Sanda, and the smaller islands and craigs lying off the shores above-named.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Dumfries .	Thomas Lee, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the rivulet called Kirk Andrews Burn, along the Solway Firth to the entrance of river Sark.
Dundee .	Robert Willingale, Esq., Collector of Customs	From a supposed line between Powgavie and Caucuse Burn, to a supposed line between Buttonness and Fifeness.
Glasgow .	Frederick W. Trevor, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Balmarnock, on river Clyde, to the east end of Dumbarton Castle; and the Forth and Clyde Canal to Auchinsterrie draw-bridge, including the collateral cut from Stocking Field to Monkland Basin, Castle-street.
Grangemouth.	Henry Rodd, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the east side of the Avon Water, along the south side of the river or frith of Forth, to the east side of New Mill Burn, or Pow of Higgins Newk; including the Forth and Clyde Canal, as far as Auchinsterrie draw-bridge.

Greenock	John F. M. Hodder, Esq., Collector of Customs.	From a line between Ardmore Head to Greenock Whale Fishing Building, along both sides of the river and frith of Clyde, to Port Crawford and Garrock Head; thence along the east and north sides of Loch Fine, through the Crinan Canal to Crinan; thence along the coast of Argyle, northward, to Fort William, including the islands of Canna, Rum, Eig, Muck, Cull, Tirree, Iona, Mull, Garelock, Luing, Scarba, Sule, Thirara, Lismore, Bute, Cumbray, &c.
Inverness	James Miller, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Garmouth to Bonar Bridge (both inclusive) and along the Caledonian Canal to Fort William, from thence to Ardnamurchan Point and Rhu Stoer, including islands of Skye, Ramsey, Rona, &c.
Irvine	Robert Montgomerie, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the water called New Burn to Port Crawford, including the Horse and Lady Isles, and the islands of Arran, Fladda, Lamash, &c.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Kirkaldy .	John Andrews, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Fife Ness to Downey Point, in the Frith of Forth, including the isles of May and Inchkeith, &c.
Kirkwall .	George H. Price, Esq., Collector of Customs	Comprising the whole of the Orkney Islands and the Sule Skerries
Leith .	Isaac H. Nanson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the west end of Cramond Water to St. Abbs Head.
Lerwick .	John Thompson, Esq., Collector of Customs	Comprising the whole of the Shetland Islands, from Fair Isle, southwards, to Ilust, northwards
Montrose .	Pattenson Hayton, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Todhead, Kincardineshire (inclusive) to Redhead, Forfarshire (exclusive).
Perth .	Robert Mostyn, Esq., Collector of Customs	From a line between Cumcuse Burn, on the south side of the Tay, and Powgavie, on the north side (both inclusive) to the bridge of Perth.

Peterhead .	William R. Balfour, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Powkburn to the north bank of the river Ytham.
Port Glasgow .	Francis Wallace, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Greenock Whale Fishery Buildings, on the south side of the Clyde, to Blantyre, and from the point of the Hill of Ardmore, on the north side of the Clyde, to the west end of the Hill of Dumbuck.
Stornoway .	Michael B. Pithie, Esq., Collector of Customs	Including the whole of the chain called the Long Islands, or the Hebrides.
Stranraer .	Henry J. Skene, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the Sand House, in Carleton Bay, round the coasts of Loch Ryan and Luce Bay, to the mouth of Gillespie Burn.
Wick . .	Richard Boyd, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Bonar Bridge, on the Firth of Dornoch, on the south, to the Storr of Assnyt, on the west side of the county of Sutherland.
Wigtown .	John Simson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Gillespie Burn Foot, at the bottom of the Bay of Glen Luce, to Kirk Andrew's Burn, in Kirk Andrew's Bay.

IRELAND.

Port.	Name of Receiver.	Limits of District.
Coleraine	Charles McAnally, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Down Hill Sands, in the county of Londonderry, to the south bank of river Glendon, in the county of Antrim.
Cork	Frederick Cassell, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Gally Head, in the county of Cork, to Ardmore Point, in the county of Waterford.
Dublin	William P. Gardner, Esq., Collector of Customs	From the river Delevin, which divides the counties of Meath and Dublin, to (but exclusive of) Courtown Harbour, on the coast of Wexford.
Dundalk	Richard S. Dowsley, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Cooley Point to Dunany Point, both in the county of Louth

Galway .	Alexander Thompson, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Hag's Head (inclusive) to Kilkerrin Bay (exclusive).
1856. Limerick	James Ross, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Hag's Head, in the county of Clare, to Bele Point, in the county of Kerry, including the whole of the river Shannon.
Newry .	Henry Costerton, Esq., Collector of Customs	From St. John's Point to Cooley Point
4 P Sligo .	Owen Wynne, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Guibarra River, county Donegal, to Donegal Harbour
Strangford	Charles Costello, Esq., Collector of Customs	From Ballyhalbert to St. John's Point, including the whole of Lough Strangford
Wexford	William Coghlan, Esq. . . .	From Courtown Harbour (inclusive) to Bannoe Bay.

FROM THE

**LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 10,
1856.**

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
Counties of Westmorland and Cumberland.*

*Westmorland and Cumberland Corps of Yeomanry
Cavalry.*

John James Spedding, Gent., to be Cornet, vice
Harrison, resigned. Dated 31st August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Sussex.*

Artillery Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

Doctor Lewis Smythe to be Surgeon, vice New-
ham, resigned. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Glamorgan.*

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

William Henry Bennett, Esq., Adjutant, to serve
with the rank of Captain. Dated 21st Sep-
tember, 1856.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's
Treasury having certified to the Commissioners
for the reduction of the National Debt, that there
was no surplus of actual revenue over the actual
expenditure of the United Kingdom of Great

Britain and Ireland, for the year ended the 30th June, 1856 :

The Commissioners for the reduction of the National Debt, hereby give notice, that no sum will be applied by them on account of the Sinking Fund, under the provisions of the Act, 10 Geo. IV., cap. 27, between the 1st day of October, 1856, and the 31st day of December, 1856.

A. Y. *Spearman*, Comptroller-General.
National Debt Office, 10th October, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 14,
1856.

Admiralty, October 14, 1856.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have received a Communication from the Right Honourable the Earl of Clarendon, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, concerning a despatch addressed to his Lordship by the Comte de Persigny, Ambassador at this Court from His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of the French, to the effect that a certain number of floats, bearing inscriptions to denote the place of their immersion, were thrown overboard during the recent expedition of His Imperial Highness Prince Napoleon to the North Sea, in the French frigate "La Reine Hortense;" with a view to ascertain the direction of the currents in that sea. His Excellency desires that, in the event of any of these floats being cast upon the shores of Great Britain,

the same may be transmitted to him, without loss of time, at the French Embassy in London.

The Lords of the Admiralty, in making known the contents of this despatch, request all persons finding any of the floats referred to, to forward them with a statement of the time and place of their discovery to

His Excellency
The COMTE DE PERSIGNY,
Albert Gate House, London.

Whitehall, October 11, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Saint Paul, London, to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Charles James Blomfield, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Very Reverend Archibald Campbell Tait, D.C.L., now Dean of Carlisle, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of London.

Whitehall, October 13, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Durham to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Edward Maltby, late Bishop thereof; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and

Chapter the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Charles Thomas Longley, now Bishop of Ripon, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Durham.

Whitehall, October 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Reverend Richard Chevenix Trench, B.D., to be Dean of the collegiate church of Saint Peter, Westminster, void by the death of Doctor William Buckland, late Dean thereof.

Foreign-Office, October 10, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Samuel, as Consul-General in England for the Republic of Guatemala.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
14th October, 1856.*

45th Regiment of Foot.

General Thomas Brabazon Aylmer to be Colonel, vice General Sir Colin Halkett, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 25th September, 1856.

57th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Sir James Frederick Love, K.C.B. to be Colonel, vice Field-Marshal Viscount Hardinge, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 24th September, 1856.

War-Department, Pall Mall,

14th October, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Alexander Charles Hector Stewart, Gent., to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lord Ernest Mc D. Vane Tempest, appointed to the 4th Light Dragoons. Dated 14th October, 1856.

5th Dragoon Guards, Cornet Frederick Drummond Hibbert has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 14th October, 1856.

12th Light Dragoons, Brevet-Colonel Frederick Charles Griffiths, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th October, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Captain William Campbell, from the 71st Foot, to be Captain, vice Rocke, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

35th Foot, Captain Robert Crosse Stewart, from half-pay of the Rifle Brigade, to be Captain, vice O. N. Chatterton, who exchanges. Dated 14th October, 1856.

40th Foot, Lieutenant William Gibson, from the 48th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Osborne, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

48th Foot, Lieutenant Francis W. Osborne, from the 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Gibson, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

49th Foot, Lieutenant William Benjamin Croft Goodison, from the Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Lieutenant, vice Crossman, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

71st Foot, Captain James Hurwood Rooke, from the 2nd Foot, to be Captain, vice William Campbell, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

76th Foot, Lieutenant James Henry Linton, from the 82nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice O'Malley, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

82nd Foot, Lieutenant William Boyd O'Malley, from the 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Linton, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Thomas Bolton Ogden, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Pugh, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1856.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Lieutenant Edmund Douglas Crossman, from the 49th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Goodison, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

St. Helena Regiment, Lieutenant Edmund Charles Barnes to be Adjutant, vice Cowell, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 14th October, 1856.

LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Quartermaster George Blake has been superseded for being absent without leave. Dated 14th October, 1856.

BRITISH ITALIAN LEGION.

1st Regiment, Doctor Francesco Depraz to be Surgeon. Dated 18th September, 1855.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard T. Farren, C.B., from the 47th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Major John Lawrie, from half-pay, Unattached, to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Henry James Buchanan, from the 47th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 1st October, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

John Shoolbraid, M.D. Dated 14th October, 1856.

Archibald Hamilton Hilson. Dated 14th October, 1856.

George Edward Whitton. Dated 14th October, 1856.

BREVET.

Quartermaster Daniel Doherty, retired upon half pay of a Depôt Battalion, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant of 17th December, 1855. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Abel Bayley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

Henry Richard Cox, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

Augustin Robinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Scriven to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

Denzil Ibbetson Thomson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

Matthew Uzielli, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

George Fleming Franco, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st October, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 17,
 1856.

Foreign-Office, October 16, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Miguel Jordan y Llorens as Consul at Newcastle, for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

Whitehall, October 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Reid to the Church and Parish of Barvas, in the Presbytery of Lewis, and County of Ross, vacant by the death of the Reverend William McRae, late Minister thereof.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 16, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, regulating, as follows, the duties upon Indian colewort-seed and rape-seed, imported for the purpose of conversion into oil, for exportation :

1. Indian colewort-seed and rape-seed, imported by sea under the French flag or the flag of the country of production, for conversion into oil for

exportation, will be admitted free from duty on condition of the oil being exported in accordance with the provisions of the Law of 5th July, 1836.

2. The oil may be extracted from the above seeds only in the ports where an entrepôt exists, or on the land frontiers only where a transit office or a chief Custom-house is established.

3. Parties making a declaration will be required to give proper security for due account being rendered of the above seeds, or the oils produced therefrom, whenever called upon to do so during the process of manufacture, and to deposit in bond, or to export within a period of six months at the utmost, the oil produced.

4. Every substitution, subtraction, or default proved by the Customs' officer, will render the party offending subject to the penalties, &c., provided by Art. 5, of the Law of 5th July, 1836.

5. The produce of oil is fixed at :—

White colewort-seed	. 33 per cent.
Black " "	. 34 "
Rape-seed . .	. 30 "

of the weight mentioned in each permit delivered by the Customs.

6. Oils extracted from the above seeds, and which, instead of being deposited in bond, are at once exported, must be despatched conformably with Articles 61 and 62 of the Law of 21st April, 1818, accordingly as the exportation may take place by land or by sea.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 16, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her

Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing a copy of a French Imperial Decree, prolonging until the 31st December, 1857, the period fixed in respect of the modification of duties upon the importation of grain, flour, meal, and dried vegetables, into Martinique, Guadaloupe, the Ile de la Réunion and Senegal.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 16, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree of 29th September, 1856, adding to the list of articles destined for purposes of naval construction, which were admitted duty free into France, by the Imperial Decree of 17th October, 1855, copper, pure or mixed with zinc, and zinc in sheets intended for the covering of ships' bottoms.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 16, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, reporting the issue of a regulation by the Greek Government, enforcing a quarantine of ten days on all vessels coming from Constantinople, as well as such other ports of Turkey, from Malta, or other States, as have not yet adopted such sanitary precautions as appear to the Greek Government satisfactory, in regard to vessels arriving from Constantinople.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

17th October, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to direct that the Corps of Royal Sappers and Miners shall henceforward be denominated the Corps of Royal Engineers, and form one body with the existing Corps of Royal Engineers.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

17th October, 1856.

6th Regiment of Dragoons, Assistant-Surgeon William Richard Grylls has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 17th October, 1856.

8th Light Dragoons, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Rodolph de Salis to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel F. G. Shewell, C.B., deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

Captain Arthur James Lord Killeen to be Major, without purchase, vice de Salis. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred C. Cure, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Honourable Alexander Gordon, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

15th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Lewes Dashwood, from the 34th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ball, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

21st Foot, Lieutenant Richard Stephens to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Tinley, who retires. Dated 30th September, 1856.

34th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Ball, from the 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dashwood, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

36th Foot, Lieutenant George Robert James Marshall to be Captain, without purchase, vice Boyd, deceased. Dated 21st September, 1856.

Ensign Richard Lloyd Hawkes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Marshall. Dated 21st September, 1856.

45th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Thomas Best to be Surgeon, vice Waring, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

46th Foot, Ensign George Power Cobbe has been superseded, he having been absent without leave. Dated 20th May, 1856.

53rd Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Gervas Stanford Deverill, from half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Have-lock, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Major John M'Neill Walter to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Deverill, who retires. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Captain Patrick W. Sydenham Ross to be Major, by purchase, vice Walter. Dated 17th October, 1856.

54th Foot, Lieutenant Samuel Nathaniel Falkiner, from the North Tipperary Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Herrick, promoted. Dated 17th October, 1856.

65th Foot, Captain Frederick Rice Stack, from the St. Helena Regiment, to be Captain, vice D'Arcey, promoted, without purchase, to an Unattached Majority. Dated 17th October, 1856.

78th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Bogle to be Captain,

by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Grehan, who retires. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Ensign Montagu Alexander Kirby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bogle. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Richard Pierce Butler, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kirby. Dated 17th October, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant West Holmes Hill, from the 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Green, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Lieutenant Christopher Frederick Holt, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Malone, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Patrick Malone, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Holt, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Ensign Meyrick William Bidwell Edwardes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Laughlin, appointed to the 41st Foot. Dated 17th October, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Ensign Francis Shearman to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice D'Esterre Taylor, deceased. Dated 5th September, 1856.

Lieutenant Francis John Green, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Hill, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Ensign James Bower Jackson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rowland, whose promotion by purchase on the 15th May, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Regimental Serjeant-Major James Arnold to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Shearman. Dated 17th October, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

Major William Hardy, from half-pay Unattached,
to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain William Daunt, 9th Foot, to be Adjutant.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Quartermasters.

Lieutenant Thomas Vousden, from the 21st Foot.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant James Scott, from the 55th Foot.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Assistant-Quartermaster John Desmond. Dated
1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster Thomas Fitzgerald, from the 94th
Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster Timothy Morris, from the Depot
Battalion, Scutari. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Assistant-Quartermaster Thomas Walker. Dated
1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster Robert Jameson, from the 79th
Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster John H. Anderson, from the 49th
Foot. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster Charles Knight, from the British
German Legion. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster James Simpson, from the British
Swiss Legion. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Quartermaster-Serjeant William Drage, from the
Grenadier Guards. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Serjeant George Pittendrigh, from the 63rd Foot.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Erratum in the Gazette of the 22nd July, 1856.

For Captain John Atkinson, *from* the 89th Foot,
to be Assistant-Adjutant.

Read, Captain John Atkinson, *of* the 89th Foot, to
be Assistant-Adjutant.

UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Colonel Robert Walpole, Major on half-pay of the Rifle Brigade (late Deputy Quartermaster-General, Ionian Islands), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 17th October, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon Francis Robert Waring, from the 45th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Best, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1856.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Watson, retired full-pay, of the 14th Foot, to be Colonel in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 21st July, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Howe Spence, 60th Foot, having completed three years' actual service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, on the 2nd October, 1856, to be promoted to the rank of Colonel in the Army, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Service, retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows ; viz. :

Colonel George Borlase Tremenhare, Bengal Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 17th October, 1856.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Harding Mayow, Bengal Infantry. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Major Charles Robert Hobart, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th October, 1856.

Major John Sims Freshfield, Madras Light Cavalry. Dated 17th October, 1856.

MEMORANDUM.

Cornets Lord Ernest Vane Tempest and William J. Birt, of the 4th Light Dragoons, are dismissed from Her Majesty's Army, in consequence of conduct unbecoming Officers and Gentlemen, and subversive of good order and military discipline, as reported to Her Majesty by His Royal Highness the General Commanding-in-Chief.
—Dated 17th October, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

Rawson Hart Boddam Reid, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th October, 1856.

Thomas Chapman, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 9th October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

*Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire
Yeomanry Cavalry.*

Thomas Chawner, Gent., to be Cornet, vice James, resigned. Dated 26th September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Wilts.*

Royal Wiltshire Militia.

Edmund George Benson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Black, promoted. Dated 15th September, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 21,
1856.

Foreign-Office, October 20, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Miguel Castaneda as Consul-General in London, for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

Whitehall, October 20, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Roderick Nicolson to the Church and Parish of Uig, in the presbytery of Lewis and county of Ross, vacant by the death of the Reverend David Watson, late Minister thereof.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 20, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, prolonging until the 17th October, 1857, the regulations contained in Article 2 of the Decree of the 17th October, 1855, with reference to the nationalisation of foreign ships. A translation of the Decree of the 17th October, 1855, appeared in the London Gazette of the 6th November of that year.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 20, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul-General at Buenos Ayres, enclosing a copy of a translation of a Decree of the Buenos Ayrean Government (an extract from which is subjoined), respecting the new Pilotage Regulations.

(Copy.)

Extract from Decree issued by Buenos Ayrean Government, dated July 30, 1856.

ART. 1.—The profession of branch pilot is declared free, in accordance with the constitution in all the ports, roads, coasts, and rivers of the State, said profession being open to companies as well as single pilots, without power of interference on the part of the Government in their scale of pilotage, with the only obligation of publishing said scale by officially communicating the same at the office of the Captain of the Port.

ART. 2.—To be a branch pilot the same conditions are requisite as those of a port pilot, under regulation of Art. 7, of Decree January 22, 1854.

The diploma of pilot shall be granted from the Marine Department.

3rd.—No vessel shall be obliged to take a pilot on entering or leaving the port, thereby being exempt from the payment of the half pilotage recoverable in accordance with the Decree dated 8th July, 1830, the captain being now at liberty to take or refuse a pilot on board.

4thly.—Whenever any number of licensed pilots should desire to form a Company, they must notify the same at the Captain of the Port's office,

with a statement of the rules and scale of charges to be put in force.

5thly.—Branch pilots in their profession are subject to the maritime laws and regulations of the State, and in case of action at law will be judged by commercial, private, marine, and general naval code.

6th.—Let this be published and communicated and given to the Official Register.

obligado,

(Signed) BARTOLOME MITRE.

Article of the Decree of the 22nd of January, 1824, pointing out the duties of port pilots.

To obtain the diploma of supernumerary pilot it is requisite to bring proofs of having practised four years on the river, and obtain, under examination, the approval of the Captain of the Port and two nautical men appointed by the Government.

Admiralty, 18th October, 1856.

Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant and Adjutant Ponsonby May Carew Croker to be Captain, vice T. Forrest, placed on half-pay.

First Lieutenant Henry George Elliot to be Adjutant, vice Croker.

Second Lieutenant Charles Edward Macdonald to be First Lieutenant, vice Croker, promoted.

Commission signed by the Queen.

3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

William Thomas, Gent., late Lieutenant 3rd Royal Westminster Regiment of Middlesex

Militia, to be Quartermaster, from the 18th September, 1856, vice Hodgkinson, deceased.
Dated 6th October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Lincoln.*

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

John Hampden Waller, Gent., to be Lieutenant,
vice Keyworth, appointed to a Cornetcy in the
18th Light Dragoons. Dated 8th October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

John Ebenezer Davies, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 22nd September, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 24,
1856.

**AT the Court at Windsor, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.**

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to Thursday, the thirteenth day of November next, be further prorogued to Tuesday, the sixteenth day of December next.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the ninth and tenth years of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "*An Act for the more easy recovery of small debts and demands in England*," it is among other things enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, from time to time, should seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities, and counties of towns, cities, boroughs, towns, ports, and places, liberties and franchises therein contained or thereunto adjoining), into districts, and to order that the County Court should be holden for the recovery of debts and demands under the said Act, in each of such districts, and from time to time to alter such districts as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit, and to order, from time to time, that the number of districts, in and for which the Court should be holden, should be increased until the whole of such county should be within the provisions of the said Act, and with the advice aforesaid, to alter the place of holding of any such Court, or to order that the holding of any such Court should be discontinued, or to consolidate any two or more of such districts, and from time to time, with the advice aforesaid, to declare by what name and in what towns and places the County Court should be holden in each district :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council, of the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, to order that the said Act should be put in force in the counties and places therein specified, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas by certain other Acts made and passed in the thirteenth, in the fourteenth, in the sixteenth, and in the twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty, the provisions of the said recited Act have been amended and extended :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by a further Order in Council, of the fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, to order that the County Court of Berkshire, known by the name of "The County Court of Berkshire holden at Reading," should be held at Henley-on-Thames, as well as at Reading, and that the County Court of Somersetshire, known by the name of "The County Court of Somersetshire holden at Weston-super-Mare," should be held at Axbridge, as well as at Weston-super-Mare, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas it hath been represented that it would be an advantage to the public, if certain parishes in the district of "the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading," were separated from the district of such Court, and were to form the district of a separate County Court, to be known by the name of "The County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Henley-on-Thames ;" and also if certain parishes in the district of "the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Weston-super-Mare," were separated from the district of such Court, and were to form the district of a separate County Court, to be known by the name of "The County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Axbridge."

Her Majesty having taken the premises into consideration, is thereupon pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six—

That the parishes of Henley-on-Thames, Rotherfield Grays, Rotherfield Peppard, Harpsden, Shiplake, Remenham, Fawley, Hambledon, Medmenham, Bix, Pishill, Swincombe, Pirton, Watlington, Nettlebed, Hurley, and Wargrave, now in the district of the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading, shall cease to be within the district of the said Court holden at Reading, and shall form the district of a County Court of Oxfordshire, to be holden at Henley-on-Thames, and a County Court for the purposes of the above mentioned Acts shall accordingly, from and after such day, be held at Henley-on-Thames aforesaid, by the name of "The County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Henley-on-Thames," for the said parishes of Henley-on-Thames, Rotherfield Grays, Rotherfield Peppard, Harpsden, Shiplake, Remenham, Fawley, Hambledon, Medmenham, Bix, Pishill, Swincombe, Pirton, Watlington, Nettlebed, Hurley, and Wargrave.

And that the parishes of Wedmore, Mark, Chapel Allerton, Weare, Badgworth, Biddisham, East Brent, South Brent, Burnham, Berrow, Banwell, Christon, Loxton, Compton-Bishop, Winscombe, Rowberrow, Shipham, Axbridge, Cheddar, Nyland, Butcombe, Blagdon, Burrington, Churchill, Congresbury, and the Ville of Charterhouse-on-Mendip, now in the district of the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Weston-super-Mare, shall cease to be within the district of the said Court holden at Weston-super-Mare, and shall form the district of a County Court of

Somersetshire, to be holden at Axbridge, and a County Court for the purposes of the above-mentioned Acts shall accordingly, from and after such day, be held at Axbridge aforesaid, by the name of "The County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Axbridge," for the said parishes of Wedmore, Mark, Chapel Allerton, Weare, Badgworth, Biddisham, East Brent, South Brent, Burnham, Berrow, Banwell, Christon, Loxton, Compton-Bishop, Winscombe, Rowberrow, Shipham, Axbridge, Cheddar, Nyland, Butcombe, Blagdon, Burrington, Churchill, Congresbury, and the Ville of Charterhouse-on-Mendip.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more easy recovery of small debts and demands in England," it is, among other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, shall seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities and counties of towns, cities, boroughs, towns, ports, and places, liberties, and franchises therein contained or thereunto adjoining), into districts, and to order that the County Court shall be holden for the recovery of debts and demands under the said Act in each of such districts, and from time to

time to alter such districts as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, shall seem fit, and from time to time to declare by what name, and in what towns and places, the County Court shall be holden in each district :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council, of the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, to order that the said Act be put in force in the counties and places therein specified, of which the county of Glamorgan was one, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas by certain other Acts, made and passed in the thirteenth, in the fourteenth, in the sixteenth, and in the twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty, the provisions of the said recited Act have been amended and extended :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by a further Order in Council, of the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, to order that the County Court of Glamorganshire should be holden at Newbridge, for the district therein specified, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas it hath been represented that it would be of advantage to the public that the County Court of Glamorganshire, now holden by the name of "The County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Newbridge," should be holden by the name of "The County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd," Her Majesty having taken the premises into consideration, is thereupon pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, the County Court, now holden by the name of "The County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Newbridge,"

shall be holden by the name of "The County Court of Glamorganshire holden at Pontypridd."

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more easy recovery of small debts and demands in England," it is, among other things, enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities and counties of towns, cities, boroughs, towns, ports, and places, liberties and franchises therein contained or thereunto adjoining) into districts ; and to order that the County Court should be holden for the recovery of debts and demands, under the said Acts, in each of such districts ; and from time to time, to alter such districts as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit ; and, from time to time, with the advice aforesaid, to declare by what name, and in what towns and places the County Court should be holden in each district :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council, of the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, to order that the said Act be put in force in the counties and places therein specified, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas by certain other Acts, made and passed in the thirteenth, in the fourteenth, in the sixteenth, and in the twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty, the provisions of the said recited Act have been amended and extended :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by a further Order in Council, of the fourth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, to order that the County Court of Pembrokeshire, known by the name of "The County Court of Pembrokeshire, holden at Haverfordwest," should be held at Fishguard, as well as at Haverfordwest, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas it hath been represented, that it is inexpedient to continue the holding of the County Court of Pembrokeshire, at Fishguard, in the said county :

Her Majesty having taken the premises into consideration, is thereupon pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six :

The County Court of Pembrokeshire, known by the name of "The County Court of Pembrokeshire, holden at Haverfordwest," shall cease to be holden at Fishguard, in the said county of Pembrokeshire.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An

" Act for the more easy recovery of small debts and demands in England," it is, among other things, enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities and counties of towns, cities, boroughs, towns, ports, and places, liberties and franchises therein contained or thereunto adjoining) into districts ; and to order that the County Court should be holden for the recovery of debts and demands, under the said Act, in each of such districts ; and, from time to time, to alter such districts as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit ; and, from time to time, with the advice aforesaid, to declare by what name, and in what towns and places the County Court should be holden in each district :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council, of the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, to order that the said Act be put in force in the counties and places therein specified, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas by certain other Acts, made and passed in the thirteenth, in the fourteenth, in the sixteenth, and in the twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty, the provisions of the said recited Act have been amended and extended :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by a further Order in Council, of the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, to order that certain alterations should be made in certain of the districts of the County Court of Glamorganshire, and the same was put in force accordingly :

And whereas it hath been represented, that it would be of advantage to the public, if certain alterations were made in some of the districts of the Courts specified and set forth in one or other of the aforesaid Orders :

Her Majesty, having taken the premises into consideration, is thereupon pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six :

That so much of the district of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Newbridge, as is included within a line drawn from the point where the western boundary of the plot of ground numbered in the tithe map of the parish of Llanwnno, 2016, joins the southern boundary of the parish of Aberdare, thence eastward along the said boundary of such parish till it joins the western boundary of the parish of Merthyr Tydfil, thence southward along the said boundary to the southern boundary of the plot of ground numbered in the said map 1497, thence westward along the boundary of the said plot, and thence in a straight line to where the southern boundary of plot 1964 touches the river Cynon, thence along the centre of the said river, and then across the same to the southern boundary of the plot of ground numbered 1703 ; thence westward along the boundaries of plots 1703, 1702, across the adjoining road to the southern boundary of plot 1701, thence along the southern boundaries of plots 1701, 1698, 1697, thence along the western and northern boundary of the plot 1697, to the western boundary of plot 1936, thence along the said boundary of plot 1936 to the south-western boundary of plot 1991, thence along the south-western boundary of plot 1991, to the southern point of plot 1932, and thence to the

south-western boundary of plot 1931, and thence along the western boundary of the same, and thence along the northern boundary of the said plot 1931, until it reaches the western boundary of plot 2016, and thence along the western boundary of the same, to the point first described, shall cease to form part of the district of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Newbridge, and shall form part of the district of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare:

That so much of the parish of Ystradyfodwg, as is now within the district of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Merthyr Tydfil, shall cease to be within the district of the said court, and shall form part of the district of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Newbridge.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*. the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the ninth and tenth years of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more easy recovery of small debts and demands in England," it is amongst other things enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, from time to time, should seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities, and counties of

towns, cities, boroughs, towns, ports, and places, liberties and franchises therein contained or thereunto adjoining), into districts, and to order that the County Court should be holden for the recovery of debts and demands under the said Act, in each of such districts, and from time to time to alter such districts as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit, and to order, from time to time, that the number of districts, in and for which the Court should be holden, should be increased until the whole of such county should be within the provisions of the said Act, and, with the advice aforesaid, to alter the place of holding of any such Court, or to order that the holding of any such Court should be discontinued, or to consolidate any two or more of such districts, and, from time to time, with the advice aforesaid, to declare by what name and in what towns and places the County Court should be holden in each district :

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council, of the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, to order that the said Act should be put in force in the counties and places therein specified, among which counties the county of Cheshire was included, and the town of Knutsford was named as a place for holding one of the Courts of the said county of Cheshire.

And whereas by certain other Acts made and passed in the thirteenth, in the fourteenth, in the sixteenth, and in the twentieth years of the reign of Her Majesty, the provisions of the said recited Act have been amended and extended :

And whereas it hath been represented that it is inexpedient to continue the holding of a County Court at Knutsford, in the county of Cheshire :

Her Majesty having taken the premises into

consideration is thereupon pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the twenty-fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six—

The County Court of Cheshire shall cease to be holden at Knutsford, and the parishes and places now forming the District of the County Court of Cheshire, holden under the name of "The County Court of Cheshire holden at Knutsford," shall be consolidated with and form part of the District of the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Altrincham, and known by the name of "The County Court of Cheshire, holden at Altrincham."

Wm. L. Bathurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

Assigning particular districts

To the consecrated church of Saint Mary the Virgin, in the parish of St. Anne, Westminster, to be called "The District Chapelry of St. Mary, Crown-street, Soho, Westminster.

To the consecrated church of St. Saviour, Haverstock-hill, in the parish of Hampstead, to be called "The District Chapelry of St. Saviour, South Hampstead."

Windsor Castle, October 20, 1856.

This day had audience of Her Majesty ;
Monsieur Pacheco, Envoy Extraordinary and
Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Spain,
to deliver his credentials :

To which he was introduced by the Earl of
Clarendon, K. G., Her Majesty's Secretary of
State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign-Office, October 22, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of
Signor Giovanni Luigi Vanderspaar as Consul in
Ceylon for His Majesty the King of Sardinia.

Downing-Street, October 21, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Aston
Davoren, Esq., Chief Justice of the Island of
St. Christopher, to be Chief Justice of the Island
of Nevis.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint
John Le Gall, Alexander MacLeod, William
Gemmell Alves, Charles Douglas Stewart, John
James Hughes, George McIntosh Browne, James
Graham, James Mayer Grant, William Ross and
John Audain, Esqrs., to be Members of the Exe-
cutive Council for the Island of St. Vincent.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 24, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Com-
mittee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations
have received, through the Secretary of State for
Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her
Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Madrid, reporting

that the Spanish Government have extended the privileges hitherto enjoyed by the English Royal Mail Steam Packet Company, in the island of Porto Rico, to all steamers touching at that island in their periodical voyages.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

24th October, 1856.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant C.

Edward Barrett Lennard, from the 28th Foot, to be Lieutenant, paying the difference, vice Richards, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 30th September, 1856.

4th Light Dragoons, Captain Charles A. Gunter

Browne, from half-pay of the 4th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Ellis, deceased. Dated 6th October, 1856.

6th Dragoons; Assistant-Surgeon Oliver Barnett, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Grylls, resigned. Dated 24th October, 1856.

8th Light Dragoons, Captain Francis Edmund Macnaughten, from half-pay of the 8th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Lord Killeen, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1856.

17th Light Dragoons, Brevet-Colonel Andrew Brown, from half-pay, of the 6th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Lawrenson, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Major Henry Roxby Benson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Brown, who retires. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Captain Alexander Learmonth to be Major, by purchase, vice Benson. Dated 30th September, 1856.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Walter Crofton, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Ellis, retired upon half-pay. Dated 4th October, 1856.

Staff-Serjeant Henry Penson to be Quartermaster. Dated 11th October, 1856.

Veterinary-Surgeon John Mason has been superseded, he having been absent without leave. Dated 13th July, 1856.

Corps of Royal Engineers, Brevet-Colonel John William Gordon, C.B., to be Deputy Adjutant-General, vice Matson, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 18th October, 1856.

Lieutenant George Reid Lempriere to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 4th October, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Charles Gibbs to be Captain, by purchase, vice Holdsworth, who retires. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Ensign Henry Hurd Mulock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gibbs. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Arthur Wellesley Gosset, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mulock. Dated 24th October, 1856.

3rd Foot, Captain Thomas Kains to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 13th August, 1856.

5th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Henry Pender to be Captain, without purchase, vice Nicholas, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Ensign George Eyre Massy to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Pender. Dated 24th October, 1856.

9th Foot, Lieutenant B. J. Pollexfen Bastard has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1856.

- 11th Foot**, Captain Frederick Torrens Lyster to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 20th September, 1856.
- 13th Foot**, Ensign E. C. R. Arundell de P. O'Kelly has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1856.
- 16th Foot**, Captain James William Bostock to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 8th October, 1856.
- 20th Foot**, Lieutenant William V. Maskelyne to be Captain by purchase, vice Butler, promoted. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 26th Foot**, James Bridge, Esq., to be Paymaster, vice Craigie, appointed to a District. Dated 24th October, 1856.
- 28th Foot**, Lieutenant William F. Richards, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. Barrett Lennard, who exchanges. Dated 30th September, 1856.
- 38th Foot**, Lieutenant Frederick James Rooper has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1856.
- 39th Foot**, Lieutenant Charles Prichard has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1856.
- 47th Foot**, Brevet-Major Charles Elgee to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 20th August, 1856.
- 49th Foot**, Lieutenant Patrick Cahill to be Adjutant, vice Gibson, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 24th October, 1856.
- 50th Foot**, Captain George William Bunbury to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 7th October, 1856.

52nd Foot, Brevet-Colonel John Leslie Dennis, from the 94th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Mills, who exchanges. Dated 24th October, 1856.

53rd Foot, Lieutenant John Maxwell Macneill to be Adjutant, vice Follows, deceased. Dated 27th February, 1856.

Paymaster Robert Thompson, 4th Light Infantry, British German Legion, to be Paymaster, vice Peel, deceased. Dated 24th October, 1856.

59th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Henry Gouldsbury Meares, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice O'Leary, promoted on the Staff. Dated 24th October, 1856.

62nd Foot, Captain Joseph Sanderson to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 28th July, 1856.

70th Foot, Lieutenant John Mackay McKenzie to be Captain, without purchase, vice Bellers, deceased. Dated 30th July, 1856.

Ensign Henry Berkeley Good to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice McKenzie. Dated 30th July, 1856.

83rd Foot, Serjeant-Major Anthony McClymont to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Ensign Anthony McClymont to be Adjutant, vice Mainwaring, deceased. Dated 24th October, 1856.

88th Foot, Lieutenant Michael Joseph Cunningham, from the 18th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Belfield, placed on half-pay. Dated 24th October, 1856.

90th Foot, Captain John Christopher Guise to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st October, 1856.

94th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles James Conway Mills, from the 52nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Dennis, who exchanges. Dated 24th October, 1856.

95th Foot, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Henry B. Harvey, from a Depot Battalion, to be Major, vice Wing, who exchanges. Dated 24th October, 1856.

96th Foot, Captain Herbert Vaughan Mundell to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 22nd September, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, James Franklin, Gent. to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Edwardes, promoted. Dated 25th October, 1856.

St. Helena Regiment, Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Beckham, from half-pay, Unattached, to be Captain, vice Stack, appointed to the 65th Foot. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Lieutenant William Henry Hole to be Captain, by purchase, vice Beckham, who retires. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Ensign John Baldwin Hainault Rainier to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hole. Dated 24th October, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Major Vincent Wing, from the 95th Foot, to be Major, vice Harvey, who exchanges. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Captain Edward Hungerford Eagar, 40th Foot, to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 20th September, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Frederick Smythe, from half-pay 2nd Foot (Staff Officer of Pensioners). Dated 24th October, 1856.

Lieutenant Arthur Hill Hull, from half-pay 50th Foot (Staff Officer of Pensioners). Dated 24th October, 1856.

Lieutenant Patrick McCarthy, from half pay 77th Foot (Staff Officer of Pensioners). Dated 24th October, 1856.

STAFF.

Lieutenant Edwin Griffiths, from half-pay as Paymaster of the 96th Foot to be Paymaster of the British Depôts, Chatham, vice Dalgety, deceased. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Lieutenant Robert Collins Craigie, from Paymaster 26th Foot, to be Paymaster of a Recruiting District, vice Middleton placed on half-pay. Dated 1st July, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George M. Swinhoe has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeons James Lander, M.D., and James Winter, M.D., have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services. Dated 24th October, 1856.

BREVET.

Captain Griffin Nicholas, retired full-pay, of the 5th Foot, to be Major in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Captain William E. Evans, of the 1st Regiment of Bombay European Infantry, to be Major in the Army. Dated 25th January, 1855.

Lieutenant Alexander George Bax, of the 50th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, to have the rank of Lieutenant in the Army, while employed at the East India Company's Depôt, at Warley, vice Bingham, resigned. Dated 24th October, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Warwickshire Militia.

1st Regiment.

Ensign Henry Garland Matthews to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Dymock Vaughton, resigned. Dated 9th October, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 28,
1856.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For uniting and consolidating certain contiguous portions of the united parishes of Llanvihangel-yn-Gwynfa, Llanervul, Llanvair-Caereinion, and Llangyniew, in the county of Mont-

gomery, and the diocese of St. Asaph, and to form the same into one consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes for the consecrated church of St. John, situate at Pont Dolanog, in the said parish of Llanvihangel-yn-Gwnfa, to be named "The Consolidated chapelry of Pont Dolanog."

For assigning a particular district to the consecrated church situate at Sadberge, in the parish of Haughton-le-Skerne, in the county and diocese of Durham, to be named "The District Chapelry of Sadberge."

For assigning a particular district to the consecrated church called Immanuel Church, situate at Faula, in the parish of Prees, in the county of Salop, and diocese of Lichfield, to be named "The District Chapelry of Faula."

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of *October*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order, on the representation of the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (as set forth in this Gazette), that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any of the under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued with the following modifications, from and after the fifth day of November next (except as is herein otherwise directed), as follows, viz. :—

DARFIELD.—In the *church* of *Worsbrough*, in the parish of Darfield, and also in the *churchyard*, except in now existing brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall

be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. **BRADFORD, YORKSHIRE**—In the whole of the *churchyard* of the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, except in private vaults and graves which can be opened without the disturbance of remains, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner. **HARTLEPOOL**.—In the *parish churchyard* of Hartlepool, except in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an airtight manner, and except for the burial of widowers and widows of those already buried in such other graves as can be opened without the disturbance of remains. **LEOMINSTER, HEREFORDSHIRE**.—In the *parish church* of Leominster, and also in any aisle having internal communication therewith, and that in the *churchyard* every coffin buried in a vault or brick grave shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an airtight manner. **WHITKIRK**.—In the *parish church* of Whitkirk, in the county of York, except in the vault of Mr. Edward Waud, which may be used on condition that an external entrance be made, and all communication between the vault and the interior of the church intercepted, that interment in such vault be limited to members of Mr. Waud's family, and that each coffin be enclosed in lead, embedded in charcoal, and entombed in an airtight manner. **MARKET DRAYTON**.—In the *parish church* of Market Drayton, otherwise Drayton-in-Hales, and also (except in vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately

entombed in an airtight manner, and in graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of remains) in the *parish churchyard*, in *Little Drayton Churchyard*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Independent and Baptist Chapels*. TRIMDON, DURHAM.—In the *parish church* of Trimdon; and from and after the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. KETTERING.—In the *parish church*, Kettering, in the *Wesleyan and Independent Chapels*, and in the *burial-grounds* of the *Wesleyan, Independent, and Baptist Chapels*, within three yards of all dwelling-houses; that in the *churchyard* and in the said three *burial-grounds* (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave; and that from and after the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one, burials be discontinued in the said churchyard and burial-grounds, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented. DAWLEY, SALOP.—On and after the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard* of *Malins Lee*, in the parish of Dawley, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which are

free from water, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal, and entombed in an airtight manner, and that in the meantime no grave be dug less than five feet deep and in soil free from remains. **CHESHAM, BUCKS.**—In the *parish church* of Chesham, and in the *Lower Baptist Chapel*; and from and after the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented), in the *parish churchyard*, in the burial-grounds of the *Baptist Chapel, Townfields*, of the *Lower Baptist Chapel*, and of the *Independent Chapel*, and in the Old Burial-ground of the *General Baptist Chapel*. **HORSHAM, SUSSEX.**—In the *parish church* of Horsham, and in the *General Baptist Chapel*, also in the burial-grounds of the *General Baptist and Friends Chapels*, within three yards of all dwelling-houses; and in the *Old Parish Churchyard*, except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

Also NORTHAMPTON.—That in all the *churchyards, burial-grounds*, and in the *General Cemetery*, Northampton (with the exception of family vaults and graves), only one body be buried in each grave; that no common grave be re-opened except in accordance with the 17th Official Regulation for conducting interments in new

burial-grounds ; and that no grave be opened within five yards of any dwelling-house, or within three yards of any church or chapel, and that no interment take place in any grave without a covering of earth four feet in thickness at the least, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground. That burials be forthwith discontinued beneath *St. Giles's Church, All Saints Church, the Baptist Chapel, the Wesleyan Chapel, and the Independent Chapel, King-street* (all in All Saints parish), *St. Sepulchre's Church, St. Peter's Church, Castle Hill Meeting Chapel, and the General Cemetery Chapel*. That from and after the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), burials be discontinued in *All Saints Churchyard, St. Mary's Churchyard, St. Katherine's Old Churchyard, the Wesleyan Chapel Burial-ground, the Unitarian Chapel Burial-ground, the Baptist Chapel Burial-ground, and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground in King-street* (all four in the parish of All Saints), in *St. Peter's Churchyard, in Castle Hill Meeting Burial-ground* (in the parish of St. Peter), and in the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground* (in the parish of St. Sepulchre). That in *St. Giles's Churchyard, St. Katherine's New Churchyard, and St. Sepulchre's Churchyard*, no new grave be opened in ground which has been already buried in, and (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves) no grave be reopened. That the vaults and brick graves in all the above-named churchyards and burial-grounds (except in the General Cemetery) be used on the following conditions, viz., that when required they be opened without disturbing

soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed, and that the only bodies interred be those of husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, brothers, and sisters, of those already buried therein. GRESFORD, DENBIGHSHIRE.—

In the *Parish Church*; and also in the *churchyard*, except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and except in graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of remains. PRESCOT.—In *St. Mary's Church*, and in the *Independent Chapel, St. Helens*, in the parish of Prescott; and on and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and entombed in an air-tight manner, and in graves never previously opened—one body only to be buried in each), in the *churchyard* of *St. Mary's*, and in the *additional churchyard* or *Parish Burial-ground*, and in the *Wesleyan* and *Independent Burial-grounds*; and also, with the like exceptions (and except in private graves, for the burial of members of the same family, which can be opened without the exposure of remains), in the *Roman Catholic Burial-ground of Windleshaw Abbey*; all in the parochial district of *St. Helens*, in the county of Lancaster.

Also HEREFORD.—In the *cathedral church* of Hereford, and in the *parish church* of *All Saints*, and also (except in vaults and brick graves in which each body shall be embedded in charcoal and

separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in family graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of remains, for the burial only of relatives of those already buried therein, and in graves never previously opened in which one body only shall be buried), in the *burial-grounds of All Saints*, of the *Eignbrook (Independent) Chapel*, and of *Price's Hospital*, in the parish of All Saints, in *St. Peter's Burial-ground*, and in the *Zion (Baptist) Burial-ground* in the parish of St. Peter, in *St. Owen's Burial-ground*, in *St. Nicholas Burial-ground*, and in *St. John the Baptist Burial-ground*, all in the city of Hereford. BRITON FERRY, GLAMORGANSHIRE.—On and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*, except in graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without disturbance of undecayed remains, for the burial of relatives of those already interred therein. BROMHAM, WILTS.—In the *church* of Bromham; and on and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*, except in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. LIVERPOOL.—Beneath the churches of the *Holy Trinity* and *Christ Church*, Liverpool, and (except in family vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in purchased family graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of remains, for the burial only of members of the families of their owners), in

Holy Trinity Churchyard, in *Christ Church-yard*, in *St. John's Churchyard*, in *St. Martin's Churchyard*, and in *St. Michael's Churchyard*, Liverpool. WALTON-ON-THE-HILL. — Beneath the *Roman Catholic Chapel of St. Anne, Edgehill*, in the parish of Walton-on-the-Hill, and in that part of the *burial-ground* thereof which is within twenty feet of the school-room, and also in the rest of the *burial-ground*, and in the *churchyard* of *St. James, Toxteth Park*, in the said parish, except in graves never previously opened, one body only to be buried in each, unless in family graves now existing, for the burial of members of the same family,—such graves being not less than five feet deep, and which can be opened without the exposure of remains, and in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. CARLISLE.—In the *burial-ground* of *Holy Trinity*, Carlisle. WHITCHURCH SALOP.—In the *parish church* of Whitchurch, and in such of the graves in the *Parish Burial-ground*, and in the *Baptist and Independent Burial-grounds*, as cannot be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing remains, or which are not free from water, and except in vaults and brick graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the time for the
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discontinuance of burials in the undermentioned churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the churchyard of **ARRETON**, in the Isle of Wight, from the first of September last to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, and in the Independent, Baptist, and Wesleyan Chapel-yards, **BATLEY**, Yorkshire, from the first of October instant to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard of St. Peter, **BENGWORTH**, from the twenty-ninth of September last to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of **BERKELEY**, Gloucestershire, from the fifth of October instant, to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, and in the Baptist, Wesleyan, and Independent Burial-grounds, in **BROMSGROVE**, Worcestershire, from the first of January next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight; in the parish churchyard and in the burial-grounds of the Baptist and Independent Chapels, and of the Friends' Meeting-house, **COGGESHALL**, Essex, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard of **WEST COWES**, Isle of Wight, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the old churchyard of the parish of Saint Thomas the Apostle, near **EXETER**, from the first of November next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of **FLINT**, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred

and fifty-six ; in the churchyard of the parish of HITCHIN, Herts, from the first of September last to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the parish churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan and Independent Chapels, HOCKLIFFE, Bedfordshire, from the first of September to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard, KEIGHLEY, in the burial-grounds of the Independent Chapel, of the Bethel Baptist Chapel, and of the Roman Catholic Chapel, and in the Quakers' Burial-ground in that parish, from the first of November next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in Christ Church Burial-ground, Every-street, *Ancoats*, in MANCHESTER, from the first of September last to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, on condition that all the regulations prescribed by an Order in Council of the seventh of December last, in reference to this burial-ground, be strictly observed, and, in addition, that in the family graves each coffin be imbedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner ; in the churchyard, and in the Wesleyan Burial-ground, NEWARK-UPON-TRENT, from the twentieth of October to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the parish churchyard, and in Ebenezer Burial-ground, Mill-end, RICKMANSWORTH, from the first of September last to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the parish churchyard of ROMSEY, Hants, from the first of October to the twenty-fourth of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six ; in the existing burial-grounds of the parishes of St. Thomas, St. Ed-

mund, and St. Martin, SALISBURY, from the first of October to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyards of St. Mary, St. Michael, St. Julian, and St. Alkmund, SHREWSBURY, and in the churchyard of Trinity, *Coleham*, from the first of October to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyards of St. Giles and St. Mary, and in the burial-grounds of the Baptist and Independent Chapels, STONEY STRATFORD, from the first of October to the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard and new burial-ground of St. Mary, SWANSEA, and in the churchyard of St. Mary-juxta-Swansea, from the first of September last to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in TEWKESBURY ABBEY Churchyard, from the first of October instant to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard and in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan and Baptists Chapels, TODDINGTON, Bedfordshire, from the first of September to the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in Christ Churchyard, *North Shields*, in the Quakers' Old and New Burial-grounds, *North Shields*, and in the Castle-yard Burial-ground, all in the parish of TYNEMOUTH, from the first of October instant to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard of NORTH WALSHAM, from the first of September to this twenty-second of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; in the churchyard, and in the Baptist Chapel Burial-ground, WALTHAM ABBEY, from the first of October instant to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and

fifty-seven ; in the Quakers' Burial-ground, WARRINGTON, from the first of January to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyard of St. Catherine, WIGAN, from the first of September last to the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyards of St. Peter, St. Helen. St. Andrew, St. Alban, St. Swithin, All Saints, St. Martin, and St. Nicholas, in St. George's Churchyard in the parish of *Claines*, and in the Independent Burial-ground in All Saints Parish, all in the city of WORCESTER, from the first of December next to the first of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws concerning "the burial of the dead in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time, to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act (whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder, or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have

arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the thirteenth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in *Rector's Gill Cemetery*, in the parish of BISHOPWEARMOUTH, and by another Order in Council of the twenty-fourth of June last, the use of certain vaults and brick graves in the said cemetery, belonging to the persons named in such Order, was allowed, on certain conditions, and provided that the only bodies interred were those of the wives and husbands of the persons already buried therein, and it seems fit that the said last-mentioned Order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the bodies of the parents and children also of those already buried in the said vaults and brick graves, be allowed to be interred therein, under the same conditions.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the eleventh of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in the parish churchyard of ILMINSTER, from and after the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, except in vaults or brick graves in which each coffin should be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that burials be discontinued forthwith in the said churchyard, except in vaults or brick graves which existed at the date of the above-mentioned Order in Council, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the twenty-first of August last, burials were directed to be discontinued in the **MANCHESTER GENERAL CEMETERY AT HARPURHEY**, with certain exceptions, and except so far as was compatible with certain regulations therein contained, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that between the words "no grave to be re-opened," and the words "unless to bury another member of the same family," in such regulations, the following words be inserted, viz., "except in accordance with the seventeenth of the regulations for new burial-grounds."

And whereas by an Order in Council of the nineteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, burials were directed to be discontinued from and after the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in the parish churchyard of **MINSTER**, in the Isle of Sheppy, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that now existing vaults and brick graves in the said churchyard be excepted from the operation of the said Order, on condition that, when required, they can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

And whereas by an Order in Council of the thirty-first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, burials were directed to be discontinued forthwith in the churchyard of **RINGWOOD**, Hants, within four yards of all houses in the **Friends' Burial-ground**, and in the Independent

Chapelyard within four yards of the day school, and from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, wholly in the said churchyard, and in the Presbyterian Unitarian Chapel Burial-ground, and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground, all in Ringwood; and it seems fit that the said order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, in lieu of the above directions, that with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, burials be forthwith discontinued in all that part of the said parish churchyard which lies to the south of the church; also, in the burial-grounds of the Independent Chapel and Presbyterian Unitarian Chapel, within four yards of the school; and that from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, burials be wholly discontinued in the parish churchyard and in the burial-grounds of the Presbyterian Unitarian Chapel, of the Independent Chapel, and in the Friends' Burial-ground attached to the Wesleyan Chapel; and it is further ordered, that now existing vaults and brick graves in all the above burial-grounds be used on the following conditions, viz., that, when required they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and separately entombed in brick or stone work, cemented in an air-tight manner; and that the only bodies interred be those of the husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, and brothers and sisters of those already buried therein.

And whereas, by an Order in Council of the eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discon-

tinued in Christ Churchyard, *North Shields*, and in the Castle Burial-ground, *TYNEMOUTH*, from and after the first of July then next, and such period has since been extended to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied; Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that burials may be allowed in the vaults and brick graves in existence on the said eighteenth of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, in the above-mentioned yard and burial-ground, provided that such vaults and graves be opened, when required, without disturbing soil that has been buried in, and that each coffin be embedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented, and that the only bodies buried be those of the husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, and brothers and sisters of those already interred therein; and (as regards the Castle Burial-ground) provided that no interment take place within five yards of the canteen.

Wm. L. Buthurst.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order with reference to the representations made by the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that for the protection of the public health no new burial-ground should be opened in any of the under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and

that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications:—

BAKEWELL.—Forthwith within the *Parish Church*, and also within five yards of all dwelling-houses, and three yards of the public roads; and from and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, in the churchyard, with the exception of now existing vaults, which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented.

HEANOR.—Forthwith in the *Parish Church*, in the *Congregational Chapel Marlpool*, and *Baptist Chapel Langley Mill*, also within three yards of the walls of the *Wesleyan Chapel* and Sunday School, of the *Baptist Chapel Heanor Common* and of the *Baptist Chapel Langley Mill*, add of the Sunday School; and from and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (with the exception of vaults and brick graves, which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed), in the *Parish Churchyard* and *Congregational Chapel Burial-ground Marlpool*; and that in all the above burial-grounds with the exception of vaults and family graves only one body be buried in each grave. **WREXHAM.**—Forthwith in the *Parish Church*, and also (except in now existing vaults and brick graves in which each coffin shall be imbedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner), in the *Old Churchyard*; also in the *New Parish Burial-ground or Additional Churchyard*, and

in the *Dissenters' Burial-ground*, except in vaults and brick graves used with the above named precautions, and in graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without exposure of remains. GLOSSOP.—Forthwith in the *Parish Church*, and (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves) in the ancient part of the *churchyard*, and from and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, with the same exception, in the part added about the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty. That with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, burials be forthwith discontinued within nine feet of the walls of *St. James' Church*, in the township of *Whitfield*, Glossop; and from and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, with the same exception, in the *Independent Chapel Burial-ground* in the same township. That from and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, with the same exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, burials be discontinued in the *Wesleyan Chapel Burial-ground*, in the township of *Hayfield*, Glossop. That the family vaults and brick graves in all the above named burial-grounds be used on the following conditions; viz.: that when required they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

Also WALLINGFORD. — Forthwith in *St. Mary's Church*, in the vestry of the *Independent Chapel* (in *St. Mary's parish*), in *St. Peter's Church* in *Baptist Chapel* (in *St. Peter's parish*), in *St.*

Leonard's Church, and with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves) in the ancient part of the churchyard, also in the *Primitive Methodist* and *Calvinistic Baptist Chapel* (in *St. Leonard's* parish); that, in the new part of *St. Leonard's Churchyard*, burials be discontinued, except in ground that has never been hitherto used for interment, and which shall be effectually drained to the depth of six and a half feet, and that no grave be reopened; that from and after the first day of December, onethousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), burials be discontinued in *St. Mary's Churchyard*, in the *Independent Chapel Burial-ground* (in the parish of *St. Mary*), in *St. Peter's Churchyard*, in the two *Baptist Burial-grounds* (in *St. Peter's* parish), in the *Primitive Methodist* and *Calvinistic Baptist Burial-grounds* (in the parish of *St. Leonard*), and in *All Hallows Burial-ground*; that the abovenamed vaults and brick graves be used only on the following conditions, that when required they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed; and that no body be buried within three feet of the surface, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground, nor within nine feet of any dwelling-house. DUFFIELD. — Forthwith beneath *Christchurch Bridge-hill*, in the *Primitive Methodist Chapel*, the *Congregational Chapel*, the *Unitarian Chapel*, and likewise beneath *St. John's Chapel*, (all in the township of *Belper*, and parish of *Duffield*), and with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, in the *Old Burial-ground* of *St. John's*

Chapel, and from and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine, with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves, in *St. Peter's Churchyard, Belper*, and in the *burial-grounds* of the *Wesleyan, Baptist, Congregational* and *Unitarian Chapels*, all in Belper; and that the above-mentioned vaults and brick graves be used on the condition, that when required they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work properly cemented; and that the only bodies interred be those of the husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, and brothers and sisters of persons already buried therein.

Also TIVERTON.—Wholly in the *Independent Old Burial-ground*, and also in the *Baptist, Wesleyan* and *Independent New Burial-grounds*, Tiverton, except in now existing vaults and brick graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in graves never previously opened, to be five feet deep at the least.

NORTHAMPTON.—Forthwith in *St. Peter's Church*, and in the *Castle-hill Meeting Chapel*, in the parish of St. Peter's, Northampton; and that from and after the first November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), burials be discontinued in *St. Peter's Churchyard* and in the *Castle-hill Meeting Burial-ground* in the parish of St. Peter. That in *St. Peter's Churchyard* and in the *Castle-hill Meeting Burial-ground*, with the exception of family vaults and brick graves, only one body be buried in each grave; that no grave be

opened within five yards of any dwelling house, or within three yards of any church or chapel, and that no interment take place in any grave without a covering of earth four feet in thickness at the least, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the ordinary level of the ground, and that the vaults and brick graves be used on the following conditions; that when required, they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, that each coffin be embedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed, and that the only bodies interred be those of husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children and brothers and sisters of those already buried therein. **STAPLETON, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.**—Forthwith in the *Parish Church and Churchyard of Stapleton*, Gloucestershire. **LLANDDEINIOLLEN.**—Forthwith in the *Church of Llandeiniolen*, and in the *Independent Chapel at Bethel*, in the parish of Llandeiniolen. **SOUTH MOLTON.**—Forthwith in the *Parish Church* and in the *Baptist Chapel*, South Molton; and also, that interment be discontinued in the *Parish Churchyard*, and in the *Baptist and Plymouth Brethren Burial-grounds*, except in vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, on or before the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven. **UTTOXETER**—In the *old part of the Parish Churchyard* of Uttoxeter, excepting in now existing vaults and brick graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner; and in the new part with the above exceptions and except in graves not less than five feet deep which can be opened without

the exposure of remains, and which have not been buried in during the preceding fourteen years. **RHUDDLAN, FLINTSHIRE.** — In the *Churchyard of Rhuddlan*, in the county of Flint, on and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in vaults and brick graves in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. **LLANLLECHID, CARNARVONSHIRE.** — In the *Parish Churchyard of Llanllechid*, except in graves which can be opened without the exposure of remains; no coffin to be less than four feet below the surface, unless in a walled grave, and entombed in an air-tight manner.

Also ABERYSTWITH, IN THE PARISH OF LLANBADARN VAWR. — In the churchyard and Baptist Burial-ground of Aberystwith, in the parish of Llanbadarn Vawr, in the county of Cardigan, on and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner. **DENBIGH.** — Forthwith in the parish church of Denbigh, and also, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner, and in graves not less than five feet deep, which can be opened without the exposure of remains, on and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the parish churchyard. In *St. David's Churchyard*, Denbigh, except as far as is compatible with the observance of the regulations for new burial-grounds. **HAVERTFORDWEST.** — Forthwith in the *church of St*

Martin's, Haverfordwest, and that burials be discontinued on and after the first of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard of St. Martin's*. Forthwith in the *church of St. Thomas*, Haverfordwest. Forthwith in the *church of St. Mary*, and in *St. Mary's Old Churchyard*. Haverfordwest, also, that interment be discontinued on and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in graves which are free from water and from remains, and not less than five feet deep, in the additional churchyard or burial-ground of *St. Mary's*, Haverfordwest. PRENDERGAST. — Forthwith in *Prendergast Church*, Haverfordwest, also that interments be discontinued on and after the first October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in graves which are free from water and from remains, and not less than five feet deep, in the churchyard of *Prendergast*. HOLYWELL, FLINTSHIRE. Forthwith in the *parish Church* of Holywell, and in the *Independent Chapel and Chapelyard*; and also that interment (except in now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be embedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner), be forthwith discontinued in the *parish churchyard*, and likewise that interment be discontinued in *Bagillt Churchyard*, and in the *New Cemetery of Holywell*, with the above exceptions, and except in other graves used in accordance with the following regulations, viz., no coffin to be buried less than four feet below the surface, one body only to be buried in a grave, no grave to be opened within a period of fourteen years, unless to bury another member of the same family, in which

case half a yard in thickness of soil shall be left above the previously buried coffin, no grave to be used which is not free from water. **ALDERSHOTT.**—In the *parish churchyard* of Aldershott, except in graves where a covering of four feet of earth at least be left above the upper surface of the coffin, measuring to the general level of the ground.

should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the sixth day of December next.

Foreign-Office, October 25, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Salvador Pisani as Consul at Malta for His Majesty the King of Hanover.

Whitehall, October 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Caroline Anne Blandy, of New House, in the parish of Longworth, in the county of Berks, and of Lanharan House, in the parish of Lanharan, in the county of Glamorgan, Widow and Relict of John Blandy, late of Kingstone House, in the parish of Kingstone Bagpuize, in the said county of Berks, and of New House aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, and second daughter of Nathaniel Poyntz, late of Tormarton, in the county of Gloucester, and now of Alvescott, in the county of Oxford, Clerk, by Ann his wife, only surviving child of Richard Jenkins, late of Pantynawel, in the parish of Llangeinor, in the said county of Glamorgan, and sister and heir of Richard-Hoare Jenkins, late of Lanharan House aforesaid, Esquires, both deceased, her royal licence and authority that she and her issue may

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take and henceforth use the surname of Jenkins, in addition to and after that of Blandy :

And to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

Commission signed by the Queen.

1st West York (Rifle) Regiment of Militia.

William Cole, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st September, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

The Honourable Alexander Leslie Melville, commonly called Viscount Melville, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th October, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Archibald James Campbell, Esq. (late Captain in the 44th), to be Captain, vice Charles Mackay, cashiered by sentence of Court Martial.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Horace William Scriven, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Standidge, promoted. Dated 6th October, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Somerset.*

1st Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Ensign Coventry Carew to be Lieutenant, vice
Lucas, appointed to 36th Foot. Dated 21st
October, 1856.

North Somerset Yeomanry Cavalry.

Robert Hockin Boodle, Gent., to be Assistant-
Surgeon, vice Brace, resigned. Dated 4th
October, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act passed in the 4th year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of Postage," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury from time to time and at any time after the passing of that Act, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant, and from time to time, by Warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any such altered rates and make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof, and by Warrant as aforesaid to appoint at what time the rates that might be payable were to be paid.

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the power and

authority in them for such purpose vested in and by the said before-mentioned Act of Parliament, did by a certain Warrant in writing, under the hands of three of them the said Commissioners, bearing date at Whitehall, Treasury-chambers, the 28th day of November, 1844, after reciting amongst other things the said before-mentioned Act of Parliament, and that it was desirable to make further regulations in respect of the postage of letters and newspapers sent by the post from the United Kingdom, or any of the other places thereafter mentioned to Bombay or Madras or Calcutta, in the East Indies, and forwarded by packet-boats or private ships to any place to the eastward of such port or place, or received by packet-boats or private ships at Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta, from any place to the eastward of such port or place, and forwarded by the post to the United Kingdom or any of the other places thereafter-mentioned, the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury did, amongst other things, direct that on all letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom, or from Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Isles, France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, to Bombay, or Madras or Calcutta, in the East Indies and forwarded from such port or place of arrival by packet-boats or private ships to any port or place situate or lying to the eastward of such port or place of arrival (Ceylon only excepted), and on all letters sent by packet-boats or private ships to Bombay from any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of Bombay, or sent by packet-boats or private ships to Madras, from any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of Madras, or sent by packet-boats or private ships to Calcutta from any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of Cal-

cutta (Ceylon in every case only excepted) and from Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta, respectively, transmitted by the post to the United Kingdom or to Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Isles, France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, and on all letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, passing between any of the British colonies or any foreign country and any port or place situate or lying to the eastward of Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta (Ceylon only excepted) and sent viâ the United Kingdom and Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta (the conveyance between any such eastward port or place and Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta, being by packet-boats or private ships), there should be charged and taken (in addition to all other rates of postage payable by law on such letters) one uniform rate of postage of four pence, and that on all letters transmitted and sent, as thereinbefore in that clause mentioned, exceeding half an ounce in weight, there should be charged and paid (in addition to all other rates of postage payable by law on such letters), progressive and additional rates of postage, each additional rate being estimated at four pence, according to the scale of weight and number of rates fixed and declared by the said recited Act, but the additional rate of four pence thereinbefore mentioned was not to extend to the letters of soldiers or sailors in the service of Her Majesty or of the East India Company, provided such letters did not exceed half an ounce in weight, and were forwarded in conformity with the then existing regulations; provided also that such postage of four pence and such progressive and additional postage on such letters sent from the United Kingdom, or posted in Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Isles, or in any British colony or foreign country should be prepaid at the time of posting the same, except

as to letters addressed to the island of Hong Kong, in China, and forwarded viâ Southampton and the Mediterranean packet-boats, on which letters, the pre-payment of such additional rates of postage should be optional with the sender ; and the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury did by the said now reciting Warrant further direct, that on all printed British, foreign, and colonial newspapers transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom, or from Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Isles, France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, to Bombay or Madras or Calcutta, and forwarded from such port or place of arrival by packet-boats or private ships to any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of such port or place of arrival (Ceylon only excepted), and on all such newspapers sent by packet-boats or private ships to Bombay from any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of Bombay, or sent by packet-boats or private ships to Madras from any ports or places situate or lying to the eastward of Madras, or sent by packet-boats or private ships to Calcutta from any ports or places lying to the eastward of Calcutta (Ceylon in every case only excepted), and from Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta respectively, transmitted by the post to the United Kingdom, or to Gibraltar, Malta, the Ionian Isles, France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, and on all printed colonial and foreign newspapers transmitted by the post between any of Her Majesty's colonies or any foreign country and any port or place situate or lying to the eastward of Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta (Ceylon only excepted), and sent viâ the United Kingdom and Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta (the conveyance between any such eastward port or place and Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta, being by packet-boats or private ships),

there should be charged and taken in addition to all other rates of postage payable by law on such respective newspapers, one uniform rate of postage of two pence, provided that such additional rate of two pence on newspapers sent to any port or place situate or lying to the eastward of Bombay, Madras, or Calcutta should be prepaid at the time of posting the same, except as to newspapers addressed to the said island of Hong Kong, and forwarded via Southampton and the Mediterranean packet-boats, on which the pre-payment of such additional rate of postage should be optional with the sender.

And whereas it is expedient that so much of the said Warrant, bearing date the said 28th day of November, 1844, and of the several rates and progressive rates of postage therein respectively mentioned and contained, as are hereinbefore mentioned, recited, and set forth, should be repealed, annulled, and revoked.

1. Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said hereinbefore recited Act, passed in the fourth year of Her present Majesty's reign, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant (under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided) order and direct that so much and such parts of the said Warrant, bearing date the said 28th day of November, 1844, as are hereinbefore mentioned, recited, and set forth, shall be, and the same are hereby repealed, revoked, and annulled, respectively; and that the several rates and progressive rates of postage of four pence and of two pence respectively, in such parts of the said Warrant respectively mentioned and set forth, shall wholly

cease and determine, and be no longer charged taken, or payable.

2. And we do hereby further order and direct, that this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of November next.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twenty-third day of October, 1856.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 31,
1856.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

31st October, 1856.

18th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William Robert Bell has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 31st October, 1856.

44th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Johnson, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Gibbons, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1856.

50th Foot, Ensign Huntley Gordon has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 31st October, 1856.

81st Foot, Serjeant-Major John Evans to be Ensign, without purchase, vice O'Dell, deceased. Dated 31st October, 1856.

82nd Foot, Lieutenant Edward Percy Thompson has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 31st October, 1856.

97th Foot, Captain William Richard Annesley to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 16th October, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, John Bellamy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Macaulay, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Robert Desmond Sullivan, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase. Dated 31st October, 1856.

MILITARY TRAIN.

To be Surgeons.

Staff-Surgeon Second Class William Arden. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Staff-Surgeon Second Class William Braybrooke, from half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Staff-Surgeon Second Class Alexander McArthur, M.D., from half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1856.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon John Wood, from the Staff. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Muschamp, from the Staff. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Robbins Dew, from the Staff. Dated 31st October, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Macbeath, from the 68th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Captain Richard Young, from 19th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Captain Leonard Sidebottom, of the 3rd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Quartermaster John Newey, from the British Swiss Legion, to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st October, 1856.

CAVALRY DEPOT (Maidstone.)

Captain William Griffin Sutton, Unattached, to be Riding Master, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Meyer, who has retired upon a Military allowance. Dated 31st October, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon John Gibbons, from the 44th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Johnson, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services :

William Hamilton, M.D. Dated 31st October 1856.

Henry John Phillips. Dated 31st October, 1856.

John Thomson. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Benjamin Cowan Kerr. Dated 31st October, 1856.

John Storey. Dated 31st October, 1856.

BREVET.

Captain William Griffin Sutton, Unattached, to be Major in the Army. Dated 31st October, 1856.

NOTICE.

NAVAL MEDALS FOR THE BURMESE WAR.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-
House, October 22, 1856.*

The Honourable East India Company having granted a Medal to the Officers, Seamen, and

Marines who were engaged in the Burmese War, on board Her Majesty's ship *Serpent*, between the 10th and 13th January, the 15th and 25th March, and between the 30th March and 11th May, 1852, and on board Her Majesty's ship *Styx*, between the 25th March and 3rd April, 1853,—

Notice is hereby given, that all claimants to such Medal, notwithstanding any previous application, should apply personally, or by letters, with the words "Burmese Medal" on the outside, to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House.

Every applicant must state his rank or rating, and the name of the ship on board which he served; also in the case of every Petty Officer, Seaman, or Marine, it is indispensable that his application should be accompanied by a certificate of service, except in the case of his being on board one of Her Majesty's ships, and the application be made through his Commanding Officer, in which case the certificate will not be required.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 4,
1856.

Downing-Street, November 4, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Henry Cotterill, M.A., to be ordained and consecrated Bishop of Graham's Town, in the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, in the room of the Right Reverend John Armstrong, deceased.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Benjamin Chilley Campbell Pine, Esq., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's forts and settlements, and their dependencies, on the Gold Coast.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Christiania, reporting that the Norwegian Government has temporarily prohibited the importation into Norway of cattle from any parts of England and Scotland.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 4, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing copy of a French Imperial Decree, fixing the import duties on crystals of soda at 19s. per 100 kilos., and the duty upon ricinus seeds at the same rate as that charged upon pink and Colza seeds.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
4th November, 1856.*

1st West India Regiment.

To be Lieutenants, without purchase.

Ensign James Moffitt, vice Harrison, deceased.

Dated 14th September, 1856.

Ensign Arthur William Barron, vice Connell, appointed to 30th Foot. Dated 31st October, 1856.

Ensign Edward Trevor Dunn, vice King, appointed Paymaster of 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 31st October, 1856.

To be Ensign, without purchase.

Charles Pressly Pender, Gent., vice Moffitt. Dated 31st October, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, William Henry McCoy, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 24th October, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Ebenezer Rogers, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 24th October, 1856.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

To be Chaplains to the Forces.

The Reverend E. W. Milner, M.A. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend C. J. Hort. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend Hugh Huleatt. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend J. A. Crozier, B.A. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend J. W. Hayward, M.A. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend William Sykes. Dated 1st October, 1856.

The Reverend J. G. Boudier. Dated 1st October, 1856.

ROYAL HOSPITAL, CHELSEA.

General the Right Honourable Sir Edward Blakeney, G.C.B., to be Governor, vice General Sir Colin Halkett, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 25th September, 1856.

General Sir Alexander Woodford, G.C.B., to be Lieutenant-Governor, vice General Sir Edward Blakeney. Dated 25th September, 1856.

Admiralty, 3rd November, 1856.

Vice-Admiral of the Blue William Bowen Mends has been appointed to receive a pension of £150 a-year, as provided for in Her Majesty's Order in Council of 25th June, 1851, vacant by the decease of Vice-Admiral Charles James Johnston, and the name of Vice-Admiral William Bowen Mends has been removed to the Reserved Half-pay List accordingly; and, in consequence of this removal, the following promotions, dated the 17th ultimo, have this day taken place :

Rear-Admiral of the Red Sir John Gordon Sinclair, Bart., to be Vice-Admiral of the Blue.

Rear-Admiral of the White George Frederick Rich to be Rear-Admiral of the Red.

Rear-Admiral of the Blue the Honourable Frederick William Grey, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral of the White.

Captain the Right Honourable Lord Edward Russell, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral of the Blue.

Admiralty, 3rd November, 1856.

The following promotions, dated the 21st ultimo, consequent on the death, on the 20th ultimo, of Vice-Admiral of the Red the Honourable Josceline Percy, C.B., have this day taken place:

Vice-Admiral of the White Sir James Whitley Deans Dundas, G.C.B., to be Vice-Admiral of the Red.

Vice-Admiral of the Blue Edward Harvey to be Vice-Admiral of the White.

Rear-Admirals on the Reserved List

George Edward Watts, C.B.,

Hayes O'Grady,

to be Vice-Admirals on the Reserved List.

Rear-Admiral of the Red the Right Honourable

Sir Maurice Frederick Fitzhardinge Berkeley,

K.C.B., to be Vice-Admiral of the Blue.

Rear-Admiral of the White William James Hope

Johnstone to be Rear-Admiral of the Red.

Rear-Admiral of the Blue Robert Lambert Baynes,

C.B., to be Rear-Admiral of the White.

Captain Henry Wolsey Bayfield to be Rear-Admiral of the Blue.

Captains Henry Shovell Marsham, Charles Crowdy, and Thomas Mansel, have also been promoted to be Retired Rear-Admirals on the terms proposed in the London Gazette of the 1st September, 1846, without increase of pay.

*Commission signed by the Queen.**2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.***Robert Brown, Gent., to be Quartermaster.**

Dated 10th September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cornwall.**Royal Cornwall Rangers.***Richard Henry Stackhouse Vyvyan to be Ensign.**

Dated 11th October, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.**Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.***Lieutenant Sir George Howland Beaumont, Bart.,**

to be Captain, vice Clement, resigned. Dated 21st October, 1856.

Cornet William Unwin Heygate to be Lieutenant, vice Beaumont, promoted. Dated 21st October, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 7,
 1856.

St. James's Palace, November 6, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Miss Louisa Gordon to be one of the Maids of Honour in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of the Honourable Mary Seymour, resigned.

Downing-Street, November 6, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Robert William Keate, Esq., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Trinidad and its Dependencies.

Whitehall, November 3, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Henry Blagrove (heretofore Henry Bradshaw), sometime of Abshott, in the county of Hants, but now of Lifton-park, in the county of Devon, Esquire, second but eldest surviving son and heir of James Bradshaw, Esquire, a Captain in the Royal Navy, deceased, by Elizabeth, his wife, one of the daughters and coheirs of the late John Blagrove, of Ankerwyke House, in the county of Bucks, Esquire, and grandson of Robert-Haldane Bradshaw, of Woodmans, in the parish of Kings Langley, in the county of Herts, Esquire, also

deceased, Her Majesty's royal licence and authority that he and his issue may resume and henceforth use the surname of Bradshaw and bear the arms of Bradshaw only, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of his late grandfather, the said Robert-Haldane Bradshaw, deceased, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

7th November, 1856.

7th Regiment of Light Dragoons, Regimental Serjeant-Major John Mould to be Riding-Master. Dated 7th November, 1856.

14th Light Dragoons, Serjeant-Major Joseph Raiker, of the Cavalry Depôt Staff, at Maidstone, to be Riding-Master. Dated 7th November, 1856.

16th Light Dragoons, Leonard Wilson Atkinson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Pigott, promoted. Dated 7th November, 1856.

Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable John Constantine Stanley to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable Amias Poulett, who retires. Dated 7th November, 1856.

11th Regiment of Foot, William Taylor Corrie, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Stoney, promoted in the 53rd Foot. Dated 7th November, 1856.

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18th Foot, Lieutenant William Kemp to be Adjutant, vice Wilton, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 7th November, 1856.

20th Foot. The promotion of Lieutenant W. V. Maskelyne to a Company, by purchase, to bear date *3rd October*, instead of *30th September*, 1856, as previously stated.

28th Foot, Lieutenant Jonathan Thwaites has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 7th November, 1856.

40th Foot. Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John M. B. Neill, late of the 40th Foot, was placed upon half-pay from *15th February*, 1856, and not *9th October*, 1855, as erroneously stated in the Gazette of 15th February, 1856.

41st Foot, Captain Henry Stratton Bush to be Major, by purchase, vice Barnard, who retires. Dated 7th November, 1856.

42nd Foot, Lieutenant William Henry Crompton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Dunbar, who retires. Dated 7th November, 1856.

52nd Foot, Lieutenant John Arthur Bayley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Archdall, who retires. Dated 7th November, 1856.

Ensign Colin John Rose Troup to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bayley. Dated 7th November, 1856.

Sydenham Lott Pidsley, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Troup. Dated 7th November, 1856.

53rd Foot, Lieutenant George Newton Fendall to be Captain, by purchase, vice Ross, promoted. Dated 7th November, 1856.

Ensign Robert Fannin Stoney, from 11th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fendall. Dated 7th November, 1856.

57th Foot, Lieutenant Heath H. Chanter has been superseded, he being absent without leave. Dated 2nd August, 1856.

86th Foot, Ensign John George Dartnell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brockman, whose promotion by purchase on the 19th September, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 7th November, 1856.

91st Foot, Lieutenant John Anthony Kysh, from the Gold Coast Corps, to be Paymaster, vice Dalrymple, deceased. Dated 7th November, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, Ensign James Dickson Mackenzie, from the 79th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Macauley, promoted. Dated 7th November, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

George William Mellish, Gent., to be Purveyor to the Forces. Dated 1st November, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeons Alfred Bowden and Thomas Perkins have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services. Dated 7th November, 1856.

BREVET.

Captain William Adam Anstruther Thomson, of the 9th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry, to be Major in the Army. Dated 13th July, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

Ross, Caithness, Sutherland, and Cromarty Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant James Stewart to be Adjutant. Dated 28th July, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Norfolk.*

2nd or Eastern Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

Lieutenant Henry Coldham Mathew to be Captain,
vice Rippinghall, deceased. Dated 3rd November,
1856.

Norfolk Militia Artillery.

The Honourable Harbord Harbord to be Second
Lieutenant. Dated 3rd November, 1856.

Home Office, November 4, 1856.

The West Riding Refuge for Girls, at Wakefield, in the West Riding of the county of York, has been certified by the Secretary of State as fit to be a Reformatory School, under the provisions of the statute 17 and 18 Vict., c. 86.

A Provisional Order, signed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, dated the 23rd October, 1856, authorizes the Trustees of the Herne Bay Turnpike Road, to reduce the rate of interest on the mortgage debt charged on the tolls of the said road (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant to the Act 14 and 15 Vict., cap. 38.

A similar Order, dated the 28th October, 1856, authorizes the Trustees of the Malmesbury 3rd District of Roads to reduce the rate of interest on their mortgage debt, and to extinguish the whole of the arrears due thereon (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant to the Act recited.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 11,
1856.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 22nd day of
October, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the scheme duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of Inkberrow, in the cathedral church of Hereford, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

Foreign-Office, October 31, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Blunt, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Salonica, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Smyrna.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Charles John Calvert, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Larissa, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Salonica.

Downing-Street, November 8, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Robert Bradshaw, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of Sierra Leone; Adams G. Archibald, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of Nova

Scotia ; Edward Packer, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of Barbados ; Isaac Farrington, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Virgin Islands ; and Augustus Benners, Esq., to be a non-elective Member of the Legislative Council of these last Islands.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint George M'Farquhar Lawson, Anthony Whitelock, and Alexander Cochrane Logan, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of Jamaica.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 10, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Madrid, stating that an Order has been issued by the Government of Spain declaring rice not to be included in the list of articles exempted from duty by the Royal Decree of 20th August last.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
11th November, 1856.*

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Alexander Henry Murray, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Tomkinson, retired upon half pay. Dated 31st October, 1856.

To be Lieutenants.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Vicars Boyle. Dated 18th October, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Martin Borton. Dated 18th October, 1856.

*Royal Engineers.**To be Lieutenants.*

Gentleman Cadet George Edward Langham
Somerset Sandford. Dated 18th October,
1856.

Gentleman Cadet Shearman Godfrey Bird. Dated
18th October, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Fraser Spearman Lloyd.
Dated 18th October, 1856.

*Royal Engineer Field Equipment.**To be Veterinary Surgeon.*

Thomas Walton Mayer, Gent. Dated 10th
October, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

For Captain F. W. Gostling, *from the 49th Foot*,
to be Assistant-Adjutant, vice King,
appointed Adjutant, which appeared in the
Gazette of 25th March, 1856,

Read, Captain F. W. Gostling, *of the 49th Foot*,
&c.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Andrew Robertson
Smith to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces.
Dated 21st February, 1855.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Benjamin Spicer Stehelin, of
the Royal Engineers, having completed three
years' service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel,
to be Colonel in the Army, under the provisions
of the Royal Warrant of 3rd November, 1854.
Dated 19th September, 1856.

Admiralty, 7th November, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Second Lieutenant William Henry Speer to be
First Lieutenant, vice Stokes, deceased.

Commission signed by the Queen.

*Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire
Regiment of Militia.*

John F. Girardot, Esq., late Captain in Her
Majesty's 43rd Light Infantry, to be Adjutant.
Dated 23rd October, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

4th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Thomas Bestland Knott, Gent., to be Quarter-
master, from the 17th of September, 1856.
Dated 6th October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Bute.*

Duncan Hoyle, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 8th August, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Banff.*

Alexander Morison, Esq., to be Vice-Lieutenant.
Dated 5th November, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 14,
 1856.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council at the Exchequer on the Morrow of Saint Martin, in the twentieth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six :

<i>Bedfordshire,</i>	Sir George Robert Osborn, of Chicksands-Priory, Bart. Richard Longuet Orlebar, of Kinwick, Esq. John Sambrook Crawley, of Stockwood, Esq.
<i>Berkshire,</i>	Richard Benyon, of Englefield-Park, Reading, Esq. Charles Philip Duffield, of Oakley-House, Abingdon, Esq. Sir Claudius Stephen Paul Hunter, of Mortimer, Bart.
<i>Buckinghamshire,</i>	Philip Wroughton, of Ibstone, Esq. Sir Harry Verney, of Claydon-House, Bart. Matthew Knapp, of Little Linford, Esq.

- Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire,* } Sir John Henry Pelly, of Oak Hill-House, East Barnett, Bart.
Philip Castel Sherard, of Glatton, Esq.
Denzil Onslow, of Great Staughton, Esq.
- Cumberland,* Charles Fetherstonhaugh, of Staffield-Hall, Esq.
Anthony Benn Steward, of Chapel-House, Esq.
Gamel Augustus Lord Muncaster, of Muncaster-Castle.
- Cheshire,* William Atkinson, of Ashton Heyes, near Kelsall, Esq.
George Fortescue Wilbraham, of Delamere-House, Esq.
Arthur Henry Davenport, of Capesthorpe, Esq.
- Derbyshire,* William Hatfield De Rodes, of Barlborough-Castle, Esq.
Gladwin Turbutt, of Ogston-Hall, Esq.
Edward Keppell Coke, of Longford, Esq.
- Devonshire,* Sir Massey Lopes, of Maristow, Bart.
John Henry Hippisley, of Shobrook-Park, Esq.
Peter Richard Hoare, of Leacombe, Esq.
- Dorsetshire,* Sir John James Smith, of the Down-House, Bart.
Hastings Nathaniel Middleton, of Islington-House, Esq.
George Frederick William Miles, of Ford-Abbey, Esq.

- Durham,* William Beckwith, of Silks-
worth-House, Esq.
Timothy Hutchinson, of Eg-
glestone-Hall, Esq.
Sir William Aboysius Claver-
ing, of Greencroft, Bart.
- Essex,* John Francis Wright, of Kel-
vedon-Hall, Esq.
William Champion Russell, of
Upminster, Esq.
Osgood Hanbury, of Holfield-
Grange, Esq.
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Cheltenham, Esq.
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ley-Castle, near Cheltenham,
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tenham, Esq.
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ton-Hall, Aylesford, near
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field-Place, near Ashford,
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newydd, Esq.
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don-Hall, Esq.
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mund Cust, of Arthing-
worth.
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of Nunwick, Esq.

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ton-Priory, Esq.
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Legge, of Caynton.
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Park, Ipswich, Esq.
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Campsey Ash, Esq.
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dish, of Lyne-Grove, Chert-
sey.
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Hall, Dorking, Esq.
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Rye, Esq.
William Crake, of Hastings,
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ham, Esq.
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Windermere, Esq.
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Appleby, Esq.
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of Everleigh, Bart.

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Giffard, Esq.

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Locke, of Rowdeford, Esq.

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bridge, Esq.

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wickshire, Esq.

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ding-Park, Bart.

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Mawr, Esq.

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Ucheldre, Esq.

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fen, Esq.

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Duchy of Cornwall, Somerset House,
November 12, 1856.

The names of those who have been nominated
by the Council of His Royal Highness the Prince
of Wales to serve the office of Sheriff of the
county of Cornwall:

Sir Henry Onslow, of Hengar, Bart.
David William Horndon, of Pencrebar, Esq.
John Francis Buller, of Morval, Esq.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
14th November, 1856.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Veterinary-
Surgeon John Byrne, from the 4th Light Dra-
goons, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Siddall,
deceased. Dated 14th November, 1856.

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4th Light Dragoons, Probationary Veterinary-Surgeon Herbert Sewell to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice John Byrne, appointed to the Royal Regiment of Horse Guards. Dated 14th November, 1856.

17th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Drury Curzon Lowe to be Captain, by purchase, vice Learmonth, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1856.

Royal Engineers, Captain Archibald Patrick G. Ross to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Williams, deceased. Dated 29th October, 1856.

Second Captain Henry Wray to be Captain, vice Ross. Dated 29th October, 1856.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major John Stokes, from the Seconded List, to be Second Captain, vice Wray. Dated 29th October, 1856.

Grenadier Guards, Arthur Divett Hayter, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable J. C. Stanley, promoted. Dated 14th November, 1856.

21st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Coakley, to be Adjutant, vice Fowler, resigned. Dated 14th November, 1856.

48th Foot, Ensign John Craufurd Kerr has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 14th November, 1856.

67th Foot, Ensign Edmund Henry Lenon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pearson, promoted in the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 14th November, 1856.

John Trevor Hall Gardiner, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lenon. Dated 14th November, 1856.

74th Foot, Lieutenant Anthony Delacombe Bell to be Adjutant, vice Thackeray, promoted. Dated 14th November, 1856.

79th Foot, Lieutenant William McGill to be Quartermaster, vice Robert Jamieson, appointed to a Depot Battalion. Dated 14th November, 1856.

83rd Foot. The appointment of Serjeant-Major Anthony McClymont, to an Ensigny, without purchase, and to the Adjutancy, vice Lieutenant Mainwaring, deceased, as stated in the Gazette of the 24th October, 1856, has been cancelled, the Serjeant-Major having died on the 8th September, 1856.

Lieutenant James N. Colthurst, to be Adjutant, vice Mainwaring, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant Charles W. Pearson, from the 67th Foot, to be Captain by purchase, vice Coote, who retires. Dated 14th November, 1856.

To be Ensigns, without purchase.

Joseph Bourke, Gent., vice Barron, promoted. Dated 13th November, 1856.

Henry Edmond Hemsworth, Gent., vice Dunn, promoted. Dated 14th November, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Thomas Davies Mahon, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Arnold, deceased. Dated 14th November, 1856.

Royal Newfoundland Companies, Captain Malcolm MacGregor, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Edward D'Alton, retired on full pay. Dated 14th November, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

To be Adjutants.

Captain Richard Barrett, from Assistant Adjutant. Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain John Hanham, from Assistant Adjutant.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

Captain Francis Padfield, from 20th Foot. Dated
1st October, 1856.

Captain Samuel Dunning, from Assistant Adjutant.
Dated 1st October, 1856.

To be Quartermaster.

Lieutenant John Frederick Grier, from the 88th
Foot. Dated 14th November, 1856.

The Christian name of Quartermaster Knight,
appointed 1st October, 1856, in the Gazette of
the 17th of that month, is *Thomas*, and not
Charles, as previously stated.

CAVALRY DEPOT. (Maidstone.)

Captain William Miller, from half-pay of the 2nd
Dragoons, to be Adjutant. Dated 14th No-
vember, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class William John-
stone Fyffe, M.B., from half-pay, to be Staff-
Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Arden, ap-
pointed to the Military Train. Dated 14th
November, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Grantham At-
kinson has ceased to do duty, there being no
longer occasion for his services. Dated 14th
November, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer having completed
three years' actual service, on the 19th October,
1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be

Colonel in the Army, under the Royal Warrant, 6th October, 1854:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick George Augustus Pinckney, 73rd Foot. Dated 19th October, 1856.

Captain Malcolm MacGregor, of the Royal Newfoundland Companies, to be Major in the Army. Dated 20th June, 1854.

Captain John Middleton (late District Paymaster) to be Major in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st July, 1856.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

The Right Honourable William, Baron Bagot, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

The Honourable Charles John Talbot, commonly called Viscount Ingestre, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

William Perry Herrick, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

Smith Child, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

John Hartley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

Alexander Brodie Cochrane, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

John Ridgway, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

James Evers Swindell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Royal Wiltshire Militia.

David Archer, Esq., to be Captain, vice Dickinson, resigned. Dated 14th October, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
Tower Hamlets.*

John Augustus Beaumont, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 24th October, 1856.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 18,
1856.*

Lord Chamberlain's Office, November 18, 1856.

ORDERS for the Court's going into Mourning on Thursday next, the 20th instant, for His late Serene Highness the Prince of Leiningen, Half Brother to Her Majesty the Queen; viz.:

The Ladies to wear black Silk, fringed or plain Linen, white Gloves, Necklaces, and Ear-rings, black or white Shoes, Fans, and Tippetts.

The Gentlemen to wear Black full-trimmed, fringed or plain Linen, black Swords and Buckles.

The Court to change the Mourning on Thursday the 27th instant; viz.:

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, coloured Ribbons, Fans and Tippetts, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver Stuffs, with black Ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black Coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver Stuff Waistcoats, full-trimmed, coloured Swords and Buckles.

And on Thursday the 4th of December next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

Whitehall, November 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Donald Fraser to the church and parish of Fearn, in the presbytery of Tairn and county of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Donald Mackinnon, late Minister thereof, to the parish of Strath.

Whitehall, November 14, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Captain Richard Ashmore Powell, C.B., Her Majesty's royal license and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Commander of the Royal and Distinguished Order of Charles the Third, which the Queen of Spain hath been pleased to confer upon him, as a mark of her approbation of his conduct in attempting to rescue a Spanish vessel, when detached in the boats of the Janus against the Moorish pirates on the Riff Coast.

Whitehall, November 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto James, Baron Talbot of Malahide, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Talbot de Malahide, in the county of Dublin.

Downing-Street, November 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Cornelius Kortright, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Grenada.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 18, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Despatch addressed by Her Majesty's Consul at Bangkok to Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary in China, announcing the withdrawal of the prohibition to export rice from Siam.

*British Consulate,
Bangkok, August 15, 1856.*

Sir,

I have the honour to report to your Excellency that His Majesty the First King has authorized me to state that the rice trade of Siam is now open, although the royal proclamation to this effect already prepared has not yet been issued.

In reply to my further inquiry His Majesty said that he could not guarantee for any definite period the absence of all restriction in the exportation of rice by foreigners; should there arise the necessity of recurring to a prohibitory edict, the month's notice conceded by treaty would be given to the Consul; at present there existed on the part of Government no wish or intention to interfere; and His Majesty hoped that in future the rise of prices on the approach of scarcity would be found to afford all needful protection to his subjects, and to be in itself the best security against an excessive export of food.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) C. B. HILLIER.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

The Honourable Alexander Leslie Melville, commonly called Lord Balgonie, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th October, 1856.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept of the resignation of William Drew, as Assistant-Surgeon of the Fife Militia Artillery. Dated 5th November, 1856.

2nd District of the Canterbury and Ramsgate Road.

A Provisional Order, signed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, dated the 3rd November, 1856, authorizes the Trustees of the 2nd District of the Canterbury and Ramsgate Road to reduce the rate of interest on their mortgage debt and extinguish the arrears (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant to the Act 14 and 15 Vict. cap. 38.

Stockport and Ashton Turnpike Road.

A similar Order of the same date gives the like authority to the Trustees of the Stockport and Ashton Turnpike Road.

FROM THE
SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 18,
1856.

INVESTITURE OF HIS IMPERIAL MA-
JESTY, THE SULTAN, WITH THE ENSIGNS
AND HABIT OF THE MOST NOBLE ORDER OF
THE GARTER.

Constantinople, November 5, 1856.

THE QUEEN, Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, having been pleased, by a Commission under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, to constitute and appoint his Excellency Stratford Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe, one of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Ambassador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Her Britannic Majesty to the Ottoman Porte, and Sir Charles George Young, Knight, Garter Principal King of Arms, to be Her Majesty's Plenipotentiaries for Investing His Imperial Majesty the Sultan with the Ensigns and Habit of that Most Noble Order, Sir Charles Young embarked, with the Gentlemen of his Suite, at Dover, on the 20th September, and reached Constantinople on the 1st October. The preliminary arrangements being completed, His Imperial Majesty was pleased to name Saturday, the 1st November, for the Investiture.

At twelve o'clock on that day, the several persons appointed to assist at the ceremony assembled at the British Embassy, where Kiamil Bey, Introducer of the Ambassadors, and Emin Bey, one of the Sultan's Secretaries, having arrived to attend the Plenipotentiaries, a Procession, headed by an Escort of the Imperial Guard, was formed from thence to the Palace of Dolma-Bagtché, in the following Order :—

Orderlies of the Imperial Court.

Aides-de-Camp of the Sultan.

A Royal Carriage, containing four of the Gentlemen appointed to carry the Ensigns.

A Royal Carriage, containing two of the Gentlemen appointed to carry the Ensigns.

A Royal Carriage, containing the Secretary and Surrey Herald Extraordinary, attached to the Mission.

A Royal Carriage, containing Her Majesty's Plenipotentiaries, accompanied by Emin Bey.

Imperial Cavasses.

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On arriving at the Palace, the Procession passed through the outer and alighted at the inner Gateway, and proceeded thence through the Garden Court to the Grand Entrance, where it was received by a Guard of Honour of the Imperial Guard ; advancing through the Hall, lined by the Body Guard of His Imperial Majesty, it entered the Reception Room, where it was met by Fuad Pasha, Minister for Foreign Affairs, and a Procession having been again formed, it advanced up the Grand Staircase to the State Apartments, in the order following :—

Henry Augustus Clavering, Esq., R.N., bearing the Star of the Order on a Velvet Cushion.

George Bouchier Ward, Esq., bearing the Collar of the Order in like manner.
 Greville Vernon, Esq., bearing the Sword of the Order in like manner.
 William Brodie, Esq., attached to the Embassy, bearing the Book of the Statutes in like manner.

Count Pisani, Keeper of the Archives of the Embassy, bearing the Mantle and Cordon of the Order in like manner.

Lionel Moore, Esq., attached to the Embassy, bearing the Hat and Plume in like manner.

Edward Stephen Dendy, Esq., Surrey Herald Extraordinary, bearing the Garter, and the Riband and George, of the Order, in like manner.

William Courthope, Esq., Somerset Herald, Secretary to the Commission, carrying in his hand the Sovereign's Commission.

Sir Charles George Young, Garter Principal King of Arms, in his Mantle, Chain, and Badge, bearing his Sceptre, and carrying the Sovereign's Letters of Credence.

His Excellency Stratford Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe, G.C.B., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, wearing the Collar of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Advancing into the Royal Presence, with due reverences, the Mission was received by His Imperial Majesty, attended by the Grand Vizir and other Ministers and Officers of State.

The Gentlemen bearing the Ensigns ranged themselves at the foot of a table, placed on the right hand of His Imperial Majesty, and the Secretary of the Commission advanced to the front of the table to deliver the Ensigns to the Plenipotentiaries.

His Excellency Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe made an address to His Imperial Majesty, declaratory of the object of the Mission, to which His Majesty made a most gracious reply ; Garter then delivered to his Lordship the Letters of Credence, which his Lordship presented to His Imperial Majesty, who delivered the same to the Minister for Foreign Affairs. The Statutes were then in like manner presented ; the Commission was next presented to His Imperial Majesty, who delivered the same to the Minister for Foreign Affairs, and the same was subsequently returned to Garter.

Garter then received from the Secretary the Garter, and delivered the same to Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe, who placed the same round His Majesty's left leg.

His Majesty was next Invested with the Riband and George appendant.

Garter then, in like manner, received the Sword, which was presented by Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe to His Imperial Majesty.

The Mantle, the Collar, the Hat and Plume, and the Star, were then severally received by Garter, and by him delivered to Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe, who presented the same to His Imperial Majesty, by whom they were delivered to the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

At the conclusion of the Ceremony, Garter, the Secretary to the Commission, and Surrey Herald Extraordinary, had the Honour of being severally presented to His Imperial Majesty, by his Excellency Viscount Stratford de Redcliffe.

The Plenipotentiaries and their Suite were reconducted in the Royal Carriages from the Palace to the British Embassy, in the same manner and in the same state in which they were conveyed to the Palace.

Amongst the Ministers, Great Officers of the State, and others of the Sultan's Household present at the Investiture, were Reshid Pasha, Grand Vizir; Fuad Pasha, Minister for Foreign Affairs; Mehemed Ali Pasha, Capoudan Pasha; Mehemed Rushdi Pasha, Seraskier; Ahmed Fethee Pasha, Master of the Ordnance; Omar Pasha, Serdar Ekrem; Shevfik Pasha, President of the Supreme Council; Ali Ghalib Pasha, Master of the Mint; Kiamil Bey, Introducer of Ambassadors; Emin Bey, one of the Sultan's Secretaries; and Stephen Pisani, Esq., First Interpreter to Her Britannic Majesty's Embassy.

Admiral Lord Lyons, G.C.B., Commanding Her Majesty's Fleet in the Mediterranean, The Right Hon. Sir Henry Bulwer, G.C.B., Her Majesty's Commissioner in the Moldo-Wallachian Provinces, Charlton Cumberbatch, Esq., Her Majesty's Consul-General, and several Officers of the Army and Navy, were present during the Ceremony.

CHAS. GEO. YOUNG,
Garter.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 21,
1856.

War-Department, November 19, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain George Elliot, R.N., to be Captain of the Port of Gibraltar.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 21, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting-Consul at Carthagena, New Granada, stating Carthagena to have been declared a free port.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
21st November, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Sir James Holmes Schoedde, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir John Rolt, K.C.B. and K.C., deceased.
 Dated 9th November, 1856.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
21st November, 1856.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet James Gunter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pearson, who retires. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Richard Harpur Crewe, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Gunter. Dated 21st November, 1856.

10th Light Dragoons, Henry Atkins Bowyer, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Alexander, promoted. Dated 21st November, 1856.

17th Light Dragoons, Cornet James Duncan to be Adjutant, vice Chadwick, who exchanged to half-pay, *15th Light Dragoons*. Dated 21st November, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Henry Joseph Rose, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Holton, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

4th Foot, Ensign William Ferrier has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st November, 1856.

41st Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class James Leitch, M.D, to be Surgeon, vice Scott, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

46th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon John Meane, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Scott, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

48th Foot, Lieutenant Sir Edward Synge Hutchinson, Bart., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st November, 1856.

49th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Charles James Kerridge to be Quartermaster, vice John Henry Anderson, appointed to a Depôt Battalion. Dated 21st November, 1856.

65th Foot, Captain Henry Ferdinand Turner, from half-pay Unattached, to be Captain, vice Thelwall, appointed Adjutant of a Depôt Battalion. Dated 22nd November, 1856.

77th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick John Adam, has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st November, 1856.

82nd Foot, Ensign Nicholas Maurant Brock, from the 91st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Allan William Stewart, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

88th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Harris has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st November, 1856.

91st Foot, Ensign Allan William Stewart, from the 82nd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Brock, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

94th Foot, Serjeant-Major Thomas Harper to be Quartermaster, vice FitzGerald, appointed to a Depôt Battalion. Dated 21st November, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, John Frederick Trotter, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Tryon, promoted in the 39th Foot. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, De Lacy Richard Frank Wooldridge, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Gold Coast Corps, Brevet-Major Henry Bird to be Major, without purchase. Dated 21st November, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

Lieutenant Henry Ferdinand Turner, from the 65th Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 21st November, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Surgeon James Edward Scott, M.B., from the 41st Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Leitch, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

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Assistant-Surgeon Francis Holton, M.B., from the 2nd Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Rose, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Ralph Robert Scott, from the 46th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Meane, who exchanges. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Assistant Staff-Surgeon David Greig, M.D., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st November, 1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned promotions to take place, consequent upon the death of the following Officers :

Field-Marshal Viscount Hardinge, G.C.B., died 23rd September, 1856 ;

General Sir Colin Halkett, G.C.B., died 24th September, 1856 ;

Lieutenant-General Sir John Rolt, K.C.B., K.C., died 8th November, 1856 ;—

Brevet-Colonel Richard Greaves, upon half-pay Unattached, as a Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Major-General. Dated 9th November, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alves, Depôt Battalion, to be Colonel. Dated 9th November, 1856.

Major Edward Hickey, 69th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th November, 1856.

Captain George Robert Pole, upon half-pay Unattached, Staff-Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 9th November, 1856.

Major-General Sir James Outram, K.C.B., of the Bombay Army, to have the temporary rank of Lieutenant-General in the East Indies, while employed upon a particular service. Dated 14th November, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Queen.**5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment
of Middlesex Militia.*

John Coombes, Gent., late Quartermaster-Serjeant
5th Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment
of Middlesex Militia, and late 64th Regiment,
to be Quartermaster, from 31st October last,
vice McLoughlin, resigned. Dated 10th No-
vember, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Queen.**Prince of Wales's Royal Regiment of Renfrew
Militia.*

Littellus Birrell Barr, Gent., to be Quartermaster,
from 2nd October, 1856. Dated 23rd October,
1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

James Timmins Chance, Esq., to be Deputy Lieu-
tenant. Dated 1st November, 1856.

[Extract from the Dublin Gazette of 18th No-
vember, 1856.]

*Crown and Hanaper-Office,
November 18th, 1856.*

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth
year of the reign of His Majesty King George the
Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by
" which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the
" Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the
" United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be

“ summoned and returned to the said Parliament.”
 I do hereby give notice, that writs, bearing teste this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of Cornwallis, Viscount Hawarden, in the House of Lords, of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office:

Augustus Frederick, Duke of Leinster.

Henry De La Poer, Marquess of Waterford.

Arthur Wills Blundell Sandys Trumbull,
 Marquess of Downshire.

George Hamilton, Marquess of Donegal.

Henry Frances Seymour, Marquess of
 Drogheda.

Thomas, Marquess of Headfort.

George John, Marquess of Sligo.

John Loftus, Marquess of Ely.

Frederick William Robert, Marquess of
 Londonderry.

Francis Nathaniel, Marquess Conyngham.

George Thomas John, Marquess of West-
 meath.

Ulick John, Marquess of Clanricarde.

Arthur James, Earl of Fingall.

Frederick John William, Earl of Cavan.

Henry, Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.

John Stuart, Earl of Darnley.

George, Earl of Egmont.

John George, Earl of Bessborough.

Richard, Earl of Shannon.

John George Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough.
 James, Earl of Fife.
 Philip Yorke, Earl of Arran.
 James Thomas, Earl of Courtown.
 Joseph, Earl of Milltown.
 Francis William, Earl of Charlemont.
 John, Earl of Mexborough.
 Thomas, Earl of Howth.
 Robert, Earl of Roden.
 Ernest, Earl of Lisburne.
 Richard Plantaganet, Earl Nugent.
 Benjamin O'Neale, Earl of Aldborough.
 Stephen, Earl of Mount-Cashel.
 Edward Michael, Earl of Longford.
 Henry John Rueben, Earl of Portarlington.
 Robert, Earl of Mayo.
 William Richard, Earl Annesley.
 William, Earl of Enniskillen.
 John, Earl of Erne.
 Otway O'Connor, Earl of Desart.
 William Forward, Earl of Wicklow.
 John Henry, Earl of Clonmel.
 George Charles, Earl of Lucan.
 Somerset Richard, Earl of Belmore.
 Richard John, Earl of Donoughmore.
 William Henry Tennison, Earl of Limerick.
 William Thomas, Earl of Clancarty.
 William, Earl of Rosse.
 Welbore Ellis, Earl of Normanton.
 Charles, Earl of Charleville.
 Richard, Earl of Bantry.
 Richard, Earl of Glengall.
 George Augustus Frederick, Earl of Sheffield.
 Francis Jack, Earl of Kilmorey.
 Edwin Richard, Earl of Dunraven.
 William, Earl of Listowel.
 Hector, Earl of Norbury.
 Thomas, Earl of Ranfurly.

Jenico, Viscount Gormanstown.
 Henry Edmund, Viscount Mountgarret.
 George Child, Viscount Grandison.
 Henry Charles, Viscount Dillon.
 Thomas Heron, Viscount Ranelagh.
 James, Viscount Strabane.
 Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth.
 Richard Walter, Viscount Chetwynd.
 Charles, Viscount Midleton.
 Gustavus Frederick, Viscount Boyne.
 William Keppel, Viscount Barrington.
 George Edward Arundell, Viscount Galway.
 Henry Walker, Viscount Ashbrook.
 Hervey, Viscount Mount-Morris.
 Arthur, Viscount Dungannon.
 Thomas Anthony, Viscount Southwell.
 Thomas, Viscount de Vesci.
 James, Viscount Lifford.
 Edward Viscount Bangor.
 Hayes, Viscount Doneraile.
 Henry, Viscount Clifden.
 John James, Viscount Harburton.
 Charles Stanley, Viscount Monck.
 Barry John, Viscount Avonmore.
 Cornelius, Viscount Lismore.
 Lodge Redmond, Viscount Frankfort De
 Montmorency.
 Standish, Viscount Guillamore.
 Thomas, Baron Trimlestown.
 Edward, Baron Dunsany.
 Cadwallader Davis, Baron Blaney.
 George Percy, Baron Carberry.
 Henry, Baron Farnham.
 Constantine Henry, Baron Mulgrave.
 Godfrey, Baron Macdonald.
 William, Baron Kensington.
 Hugh Hamon Ingoldsby, Baron Massy.
 Henry, Baron Rokeby.

Matthew Fitzmaurice, Baron Muskerry.
 John Cavendish, Baron Kilmaine.
 Edward, Baron Cloncurry.
 Robert, Baron Clonbrock.
 Henry Manners, Baron Waterpark.
 Samuel, Baron Bridport.
 Beaumont, Baron Hotham.
 Richard, Baron Cremorne.
 Charles John, Baron Teignmouth.
 Edward, Baron Crofton.
 Charles, Baron Ffrench.
 Anthony Baron Henley.
 Frederick, Baron Dufferin and Claneboye.
 John, Baron Henniker.
 Thomas Townsend Meredith, Baron Ventry.
 Henry, Baron Dunalley.
 Granville, George, Baron Radstock.
 Frederick Mason Trench, Baron Ashtown.
 Alan Legge, Baron Gardner.
 Eyre, Baron Clarina.
 Richard, Baron Castlemaine.
 Charles, Baron Garvagh.
 Ulysses, Baron Downes.
 John Douglas, Baron Bloomfield.
 Henry, Baron Fitzgerald and Vesey.
 James, Baron Talbot of Malahide.
 Dominick, Baron Oranmore and Browne.
 Denis St. George, Baron Dunsandle and
 Clanconal.
 Patrick, Baron Bellew.
 Thomas, Baron Clermont.

John O'Connell,
 Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 25,
 1856.

Whitehall, November 24, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Reverend Francis Close, M.A., to be Dean of the Cathedral Church of Carlisle, void by the promotion of Doctor Archibald Campbell Tait, late Dean thereof, to the Bishoprick of London.

Crown-Office, November 21, 1856.

Days and Places appointed for holding Special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, for the undermentioned places.

Cheshire, Wednesday, December 3, at the Castle of Chester.

Southampton, Saturday, November 29, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wiltshire, Friday, December 5, at New Sarum.

Somersetshire, Monday, December 8, at the Castle of Taunton.

Devonshire, Thursday, December 11, at the Castle of Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Northumberland, Monday, December 1, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said Town.

Durham, Wednesday, December 3, at the Castle of Durham.

Yorkshire, Saturday, December 6, at the Castle of York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Northamptonshire,

Glamorganshire, Monday, December 1, at Cardiff.

Gloucestershire, Thursday, December 4, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of Gloucester.

Essex, Thursday, December 11, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday, December 15, at Maidstone.

Sussex, Monday, December 22, at Lewes.

Staffordshire, Monday, December 1, at Stafford.

Shropshire, Monday, December 8, at Shrewsbury.

Herefordshire, Wednesday, December 10, at Hereford.

Worcestershire, Saturday, December 13, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of Worcester.

Oxfordshire, Wednesday, December 17, at Oxford.

Home-Office, November 22, 1856.

The Warwickshire Reformatory Institution, at Weston-under-Weatherley, near Leamington, in the county of Warwick, has been certified by the Secretary of State as fit to be a Reformatory School, under the provisions of the statute 17 and 18 Victoria, cap. 86.

[Extract from the Dublin Gazette of 21st November, 1856.]

*Crown and Hanaper-Office,
November 21st, 1856.*

ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that writs, bearing teste this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of James, Earl of Bandon, in the House of Lords, of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office:

Augustus Frederick, Duke of Leinster.

Henry De La Poer, Marquess of Waterford.

Arthur Wills Blundell Sandys Trumbull,
Marquess of Downshire.

George Hamilton, Marquess of Donegal.

Henry Francis Seymour, Marquess of
Drogheda.

Thomas, Marquess of Headfort.

George John, Marquess of Sligo.

John Loftus, Marquess of Ely.

Frederick William Robert, Marquess of Londonderry.
 Francis Nathaniel, Marquess Conyngham.
 George Thomas John, Marquess of Westminster.
 Ulick John, Marquess of Clanricarde.
 Arthur James, Earl of Fingall.
 Frederick John William, Earl of Cavan.
 Henry, Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.
 John Stuart, Earl of Darnley.
 George, Earl of Egmont.
 John George, Earl of Bessborough.
 Richard, Earl of Shannon.
 John George Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough.
 James, Earl of Fife.
 Philip Yorke, Earl of Arran.
 James Thomas, Earl of Courtown.
 Joseph, Earl of Milltown.
 Francis William, Earl of Charlemont.
 John, Earl of Mexborough.
 Thomas, Earl of Howth.
 Robert, Earl of Roden.
 Ernest, Earl of Lisburne.
 Richard Plantaganet, Earl Nugent.
 Benjamin O'Neale, Earl of Aldborough.
 Stephen, Earl of Mount-Cashel.
 Edward Michael, Earl of Longford.
 Henry John Reuben, Earl of Portarlington.
 Robert, Earl of Mayo.
 William Richard, Earl Annesley.
 William, Earl of Enniskillen.
 John, Earl of Erne.
 Otway O'Connor, Earl of Desart.
 William Forward, Earl of Wicklow.
 John Henry, Earl of Clonmel.
 George Charles, Earl of Lucan.
 Somerset Richard, Earl of Belmore.
 Richard John, Earl of Donoughmore.

William Henry Tennison, Earl of Limerick.
 William Thomas, Earl of Clancarty.
 William, Earl of Rosse.
 Welbore Ellis, Earl of Normanton.
 Charles, Earl of Charleville.
 Richard, Earl of Bantry.
 Richard, Earl of Glengall.
 George Augustus Frederick, Earl of Sheffield.
 Francis Jack, Earl of Kilmorey.
 Edwin Richard, Earl of Dunraven.
 William, Earl of Listowel.
 Hector, Earl of Norbury.
 Thomas, Earl of Ranfurly.
 Jenico, Viscount Gormanstown.
 Henry Edmund¹, Viscount Mountgarret.
 George Child, Viscount Grandison.
 Henry Charles, Viscount Dillon.
 Thomas Heron, Viscount Ranelagh.
 James, Viscount Strabane.
 Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth.
 Richard Walter, Viscount Chetwynd.
 Charles, Viscount Midleton.
 Gustavus Frederick, Viscount Boyne.
 William Keppel, Viscount Barrington.
 George Edward Arundell, Viscount Galway.
 Henry Walker, Viscount Ashbrook.
 Hervey, Viscount Mount-Morres.
 Arthur, Viscount Dungannon.
 Thomas Anthony, Viscount Southwell.
 Thomas, Viscount De Vesci.
 James, Viscount Lifford.
 Edward, Viscount Bangor.
 Hayes, Viscount Doneraile.
 Henry, Viscount Clifden.
 John James, Viscount Harberton.
 Charles Stanley, Viscount Monck.
 Barry John, Viscount Avonmore.
 Cornelius, Viscount Lismore.

Lodge Redmond, Viscount Frankfort De
 Montmorency.
 Standish, Viscount Guillamore.
 Thomas, Baron Trimlestown.
 Edward, Baron Dunsany.
 Cadwallader Davis, Baron Blayney.
 George Percy, Baron Carbery.
 Henry, Baron Farnham.
 Constantine Henry, Baron Mulgrave.
 Godfrey, Baron Macdonald.
 William, Baron Kensington.
 Hugh Hamon Ingoldsby, Baron Massy.
 Henry, Baron Rokeby.
 Mathew Fitzmaurice, Baron Muskerry.
 John Cavendish, Baron Kilmaine.
 Edward, Baron, Cloncurry.
 Robert, Baron Clonbrock.
 Henry Manners, Baron Waterpark.
 Samuel, Baron Bridport.
 Beaumont, Baron Hotham.
 Richard, Baron Cremorne.
 Charles John, Baron Teignmouth.
 Edward, Baron Crofton.
 Charles, Baron Ffrench.
 Anthony, Baron Henley.
 Frederick, Baron Dufferin and Claneboye.
 John, Baron Henniker.
 Thomas Townsend Meredith, Baron Ventry.
 Henry, Baron Dunalley.
 Granville George, Baron Radstock.
 Frederick Mason Trench, Baron Ashtown.
 Alan Legge, Baron Gardner.
 Eyre, Baron Clarina.
 Richard, Baron Castlemaine.
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 Clanconal.
 Patrick, Baron Bellew.
 Thomas, Baron Clermont.

John O'Connell,
 Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 28,
 1856.

Treasury, November 27, 1856.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Viscount Monck, the Right Hon. Lord Belper, the Right Hon. Sir Edward Ryan, Sir Alexander Young Spearman, Bart., and Thomas Matthias Weguelin, Esq., Governor of the Bank of England, to be Commissioners to enquire into the existing regulations under which allowances, on retirement, are granted to persons who have held civil offices in Her Majesty's Service.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 27, 1856.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her

Majesty's Consul at Madrid, reporting the following alterations in the Spanish tariff:

Bookbinders' prepared cloth to pay an import duty of 8 reals per lb. under the national flag, and 8 reals 10 cents per lb. under foreign flag.

Tarred tow and felt, 10 reals 60 cents per quintal under national flag, and 15 reals 90 cents under foreign flag.

Saltpetre, raw, 28 reals per quintal under national flag, 38 reals under foreign flag.

Saltpetre, in lumps, 36 reals per quintal under national flag, 46 reals under foreign flag.

Saltpetre, refined, 48 reals per quintal under national flag, 58 reals under foreign flag.

War-Department, Pall Mall,

28th November, 1856.

16th Light Dragoons, Thomas Duffield, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Williams, who has retired. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Scots Fusilier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain, and Brevet-Major Edward Neville, to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Franklyn Lushington, C.B., who retires. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Ensign and Lieutenant Robert Farquhar Shaw Stewart to be Lieutenant and Captain by purchase, vice Neville. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Henry Hardinge Denne Stracey, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shaw Stewart. Dated 28th November, 1856.

14th Regiment of Foot, Ensign William Noel Watson has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 28th November, 1856.

16th Foot, Ensign Richard Calvert Healy, to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Moyle, deceased. Dated 19th November, 1856.

26th Foot. For James Bridge, *Esq.*, to be Paymaster, vice Craigie, appointed to a district, which appeared in the Gazette of 24th October, 1856,

Read, *Lieutenant James Bridge, from the Land Transport Corps*, to be Paymaster, &c.

32nd Foot, Quartermaster John Giddings to be Paymaster, vice William Garforth, deceased. Dated 28th November, 1856.

49th Foot, Captain John Hopkins, from half-pay of the 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. W. Maitland, deceased. Dated 16th November, 1856.

70th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Watts, from the 94th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Grant, deceased. Dated 28th November, 1856.

86th Foot, Ensign George Albert Conran, from the 50th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lepper, promoted. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Stawell Barry, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Fitzgerald, appointed to the 94th Foot. Dated 28th November, 1856.

88th Foot, Lieutenant John Berkeley Michell has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard William Meade, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Harris, resigned. Dated 28th November, 1856.

94th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Francis Lewis Fitzgerald, from the 86th Foot, to be Assistant-

Surgeon, vice Watts, appointed to the 70th Foot. Dated 28th November, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, Ensign Arthur William Barron to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Callanan, deceased. Dated 25th October, 1856.

Ensign Alexander M. W. Samson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Barron, whose promotion, on 31st October, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 31st October, 1856.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Edward D. Lye has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Gold Coast Corps, Lieutenant Charles Fox Duke to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Bird, promoted. Dated 21st November, 1856.

Ensign Edward N. Robert Gatehouse to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Duke. Dated 21st November, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, John Mac Andrew, M.D., to be Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice Dawson, placed on half-pay. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Assistant-Surgeon William Alexander Davidson, M.D., Supernumerary in the 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Assistant-Surgeon to the Forces, vice Barry, appointed to the 86th Foot. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon John Bayly has ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for his services. Dated 28th November, 1856.

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BREVET.

Major John James Grant, Unattached, employed on a particular service in South Africa, to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in South Africa, while so employed. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

4th West York Regiment of Militia.

John Kendall, Gent., to be Quartermaster.
Dated 1st September, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Joseph Samuel Lavies, Esq., M.D., to be Surgeon,
vice George, resigned. Dated 14th November,
1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Leicester.*

*Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Yeomanry
Cavalry.*

George Henry Finch, Gent., to be Cornet, vice
Heygate, promoted. Dated 12th November,
1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Devon.*

1st Devon Regiment of Militia.

Henry Fitzwilliam Hallifax to be Lieutenant, vice
Macdonald, resigned. Dated 11th August, 1856.

1st Devon Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Frederic Courtenay Trower, late of the 9th
Lancers, to be Adjutant, vice Little, deceased.
Dated 7th November, 1856.

North Devon Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

The Honourable Mark George Kerr Rolle to be Cornet, vice Marshall, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

Charles Musgrave Norris, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Maher, appointed to the Glamorganshire Militia. Dated 27th September, 1856.

Crown-Office, November 28, 1856.

Days and Places for holding Special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, at the following places.

Northamptonshire, Thursday, December 4, at Northampton.

Lincolnshire, Saturday, December 6, at the Castle of Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Nottinghamshire, Thursday, December 11, at Nottingham.

Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Derbyshire, Saturday, December 13, at Derby.

Warwickshire, Wednesday, December 17, at Warwick.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 2,
1856.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Tuesday the sixteenth day of December next: We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued, on the said sixteenth day of December next, to Tuesday the third day of February next; and We have given Order to Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly: and We do further hereby, with the advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal Will and Pleasure, that the said Parliament shall, on the said third day of February next, be held and sit for the despatch of divers urgent and important affairs: and the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded

to give their attendance accordingly at Westminster, on the said third day of February next.

Given at Our Court, at Windsor, this twentieth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and in the twentieth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of *November*, 1856.

This day the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Archibald Campbell, Bishop of London, was, by Her Majesty's Command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of *November*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that, within one month after this Order shall have been published in the London Gazette, the provisions of the "Common Law Procedure Act, 1852," and the rules made and to be made in pursuance thereof, except sections 97, 98, and 120 of the said Act and except rules 57, 81 to 111, both inclusive, 115 to 117, both inclusive, 123 to 134, both inclusive, 173 and 175; and also except such parts of the said Act as relate to special juries, terms, and pleadings, between the 10th day of August and the twenty-fourth day of October in any year, shall apply to the Court of Record of the borough of GREAT YARMOUTH, called the Borough Court:

And Her Majesty was further pleased to order that, within one month after this Order shall

have been published in the London Gazette, the provisions of the said "Common Law Procedure Act, 1854," (except such as are contained in the sections of the said Act, numbered respectively 2, 17, 75, 76, 77, 95, 97, 98, and the whole of the 99th section, except so much thereof as explains the meaning of the word "action," and also except such as are contained in sections 100, 101, 102, 104, 105, and 107, in the copy of the said Act, printed by Her Majesty's printer), and the rules made and to be made in pursuance of the said Act shall extend and apply to the said Court of Record of the borough of GREAT YARMOUTH, called the Borough Court.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of
November, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order, that within one month after this Order shall have been made and published in the London Gazette, all the provisions of the "Summary Procedure on Bills of Exchange Act 1855," shall extend and apply to the Court of Record in the borough of GREAT YARMOUTH, called the Borough Court, so far as the same may be applicable to the said Court.

Council-Office, Whitehall, November 28, 1856.

WHEREAS the following STATUTE has been framed by the UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD, for the application of the gift or endowment of William Heather, Doctor in Music, in exercise of the powers given to the said University by an Act passed in the 17th and 18th years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make
" further provision for the good government and

“ extension of the University of Oxford, of the
 “ Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint
 “ Mary, Winchester,” and the said Statute was
 published and confirmed in the Convocation of the
 said University on the thirteenth day of March,
 one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; and
 whereas the Commissioners appointed for the pur-
 poses of the said Act have signified their assent to
 the said Statute by an instrument under their seal,
 bearing date the third day of November, instant,
 and the said Statute has been this day laid before
 Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in
 pursuance of the said Act; and NOTICE is hereby
 given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons
 mentioned in the 35th section of that Act, within
 one month after this publication, to petition Her
 Majesty in Council against the approbation of the
 said Statute, or of any part thereof.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

STATUTUM NOVUM

*De quibusdam dotationibus quæ ante annos quin-
 quaginta ab A.D. 1854 exstiterint.*

SECTIO XIV.

Placuit Universitati, Statuta in Tit. IV. Sect. 1.
 §. 6. Addend. p. 1, post p. 321 [Corp. Stat. p. 15]
De Prælectore Musicæ &c., atque Append. p. 45,
 Statuta Doctoris Heather, *De Musices Praxi Heb-
 domadali*, abrogare, et in eorum locum subrogare
 hæc quæ sequuntur,

*De Professore Musicæ et de Chorago per Doctorem
 Heather institutis.*

Professor Musicæ a Gulielmo Heather Musicæ
 Doctore institutus semel vel sæpius in unoquoque
 anni Termino, in Schola Musicæ, vel alio loco

idoneo quem Vice-Cancellarius assignaverit, illius artis theoriam legat, interposito, quando opus sit, vel cantu, vel instrumentorum musicorum modulatione.

Choragus, sive Præfectus Musicæ, secundum ordinationes Gulielmi Heather institutus, constantem Musicæ Practicæ exercitationem habendam curet, excipiendo in Schola Musicæ, vel alio loco commodo quem Vice-Cancellarius assignaverit, saltem bis in quaque septimana, durante pleno Termine, Academicos quicumque musicam exercendi studio illuc venerint.

Professor, si munia sua secundum iudicium Vice-Cancellarii et Procuratorum impleverit, recipiat quotannis e fisco Academico centum Libras præter pecunias ei a Nathaniele Barone Crew episcopo Dunelmensi legatas. Choragus recipiat summam illam quam olim Gulielmus Heather e suis redditibus ei numeraverat, scilicet xiii Libras vi Solidos et viii Denarios.

Professorem posthac nominent Vice-Cancellarius, Custos Collegii Novi, Præses Collegii Magdalenensis, Decanus Ædis Christi, Præses Collegii D. Joannis Baptistæ, Procuratores duo, Professores Saviliani, Professor Poeticæ, vel eorum major pars, a Domo Convocationis approbandum.

Choragum nominent Vice Cancellarius, Duo Procuratores, Professor Musicæ, et Orator Publicus, vel eorum major pars, a Domo Convocationis approbandum.

Placuit Universitati hæc statuere quæ sequuntur,

*De Præcentore sive Coryphæo, et de Schola
Musicæ Practicæ.*

Præcentor, sive Coryphæus, una cum Chorago bipartita opera constantem Musicæ Practicæ exercitationem habendam curet. Hujus vero exercita-

tionis regimen habeat Professor, modum et materiam præcipiat, distributionem studentium in classes approbet, ipsis musicam exercentibus sæpius adsit et præsideat, et impendia in rebus necessariis facienda dirigat. Academicos quicunque ad Scholam studio Musicam exercendi venerint, in classes distribuant secundum singulorum peritiam, prout omnibus maxime profuturum sit, probante Professore Musicæ, et in praxi musicæ erudiant Choragus et Præcentor. Qui ad praxim admitti velint, conferant in impensas unoquoque Termino quisque summam quæ ne duodecim solidos excedat. Has vero pecunias erogandas curet Professor partim in ea quæ praxi musicæ agendæ necessaria sunt, puta pueros symphoniacos, reliquas autem in salaria æqualiter dispartiat Chorago et Præcentori; probante Vice-Cancellario, cui Professor exhibeat quotannis sub initium Magnarum Feriarum computum receptorum et impensorum in Schola Musicæ Practicæ; hunc vero Vice Cancellarius inter rationes suas referat.

Scholares musicæ studentes, qui impensa opera in praxim musicam per Terminos saltem quatuor, satis periti esse comprobentur iudicio Professoris, Choragi, et Præcentoris, vel Professoris atque utriusvis alterius horum, fruantur privilegiis et commodis Scholæ Musicæ gratuito; sed teneantur tamen Professori opitulari ad illustrandas Lectiones ejus publicas de musica arte, si ab eo requisiti fuerint in Academia præsentibus nec negotiis Academicis præpediti.

Societates jam privatim intra Academiam constitutæ ad exercendam Musicam, si intra unum Terminum post sancitum hoc Statutum ad Scholam Musicæ Practicæ sese ad censuerint, tum harum socii singuli dimidium tantummodo summæ supra dictæ conferant in impensas.

Præcentorem sive Coryphæum nominet Pro-

fessor Musicæ a Domo Convocationis approbandum.

Libri musici, scilicet notis musicis impressi, qui nunc in Bibliotheca Bodleiana et in Museo Ashmoleano reponuntur, transferantur, quantum Curatoribus Bibliothecæ et Custodi Musei, de utroque loco, visum fuerit, in Scholam Musicæ, quæ nunc est, atque ibi conserventur, una cum illis qui ibidem nunc habentur. Liceat tamen inde libros impressos, si qui ad praxim musicæ præcipue utiles sint, rogatu Choragi vel Præcentoris, foras ad eum locum portare in quo Schola Musicæ Practicæ habeatur. Horum omnium librorum curam habeat et custos sit Professor Musicæ: ita tamen ut ne alienentur a Bibliotheca Bodleiana, cujus Curatores possint et teneantur eos inspicere et visitare, quando opus sit: atque ut Professor ad eosdem Curatores referat quicquid de iis insuper agendum esse censeat.

Siqua instrumenta musica possideat Academia, quæ ad usum Scholæ Musicæ Practicæ dicata fuerint, hæc custodiant Choragus et Præcentor, reficienda, quoties usu fatiscant, sumtibus Academicis, probante Vice-Cancellario.

In Statutis de Professore Musicæ et de Schola Musicæ Practicæ Terminus Paschatis et Terminus Trinitatis pro uno computentur.

Placuit Universitati, Statuta in Tit. VI. Sect. III. §. 2, et §. 4, abrogare, et in eorum locum subrogare hæc quæ sequuntur,

§. 2. *De Exercitiis pro Gradu Baccalaurei in Musica præstandis.*

Qui ad Baccalaureatum in Musica promoveri cupit, priusquam pro Gratia sua supplicet, examen subeat, et Canticum componat. Examen illud habeatur quotannis in Termino Paschatis vel Trinitatis a Professore Musicæ, Chorago, et alio

quolibet in Universitate Graduato quem Vice-Cancellarius et Procuratores nominaverint Domus autem Convocationis approbaverit, et fiat partim viva voce interrogando et respondendo, partim per scripta. Cantici vero hæc sit ratio, scilicet ut sit quatuor saltem partium cum modulatione organi solius, vel instrumentorum chordatorum non plurium quam quinque; et quando iudicio Professoris permittatur, Candidatus data fide, addito etiam chirographo suo, protestetur se Canticum illud totum composuisse: sin minus, ad Gradum ne præsentetur. Probatum vero Canticum publice tam vocibus quam instrumentis musicis exhibeat; et postea, antequam ad Gradum præsentetur, exemplar ejus in manum Professoris tradat reponendum in Schola Musicæ.

§. 4. *De Exercitiis per Inceptorem in Musica præstandis.*

Baccalaureus Musicæ, priusquam ad incipiendum in eadem Facultate admittatur, examen subeat, et Canticum componat. Examen illud habeatur quotannis eodem Termino et ab iisdem personis et eodem modo, quibus ante capessendum Gradum Baccalaurei, nisi quod nulla sit viva voce interrogatio, Cantici vero hæc sit ratio, scilicet ut sit octo partium cum modulatione plenæ orchestræ. Candidatus quoque eodem modo, quo supra dictum est, testetur se Canticum illud composuisse. Probatum Canticum publice vocibus et instrumentis musicis exhibeat; et postea, antequam ad Gradum præsentetur, exemplar ejus in manum Professoris tradat reponendum in Schola Musicæ. Quibus exercitiis per eundem præstitis, per publicum ejusdem Facultatis Prælectorem Heatherianum, aut alium quemvis per eundem assignatum, Gratia ipsius in Domo Congregationis proponatur; qua concessa, per eundem Professore Heatheria-

num, si jus habeat in Convocatione suffragandi, sin minus, per alterutrum Professore Savilianum, (qui ad hoc alternis præstandum teneantur,) vel per alium quemvis in Artibus Magistrum ab iis deputatum, ad Gradum præsentetur.

Placuit Universitati, in Formula Gratissæ Pro Gradu Baccalaurei in Musica, Addend. p. 500, abrogare verbum, quinque, et pro eo subrogare, quatuor saltem;

et, Pro Gradu Inceptoris in Musica, ibid. abrogare verba,—sex vel.

et, in Addend. p. 503, abrogare verba,—et unum canticum sex vel octo partium in iisdem Comitiiis exhibuerit.

Hæc quæ nunc statuuntur de Exercitiis ad Gradus in Musica capessendos necessariis, illos obligent omnes qui Baccalaureatum in Musica ambibunt post primum diem Terminii Michaelis A.D. 1856.

De Statutis his rogandis, re mature perpensa, consensit Concilium Hebdomadale die duodevicesimo mensis Februarii. Promulgata sunt eadem Statuta in Domo Congregationis die vicesimo sexto ejusdem mensis Februarii, et in eadem Domo die sexto mensis Martii probata; tandem in Convocatione publicata et confirmata die decimo tertio ejusdem mensis Martii anno Domini MDCCCLVI.

Council-Office, Whitehall, November 28, 1856.

Whereas the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the Act of the 17th and 18th Vict., cap. 81, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and "extension of the University of Oxford, of the "Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint "Mary, Winchester," on the eleventh of July last, made the following ORDINANCE in place of

section 5 of the third chapter (intituled "Depri-
 vation") of the regulations and ordinances framed
 on the ninth day of October, one thousand eight
 hundred and fifty-five, for the amendment
 of the Statutes of EXETER COLLEGE, OXFORD,
 and which section has not been approved ; and
 whereas the said ordinance has been submitted to
 the said College, and no objection has been made
 thereto, and has been this day laid before Her
 Majesty in Council, the same is published in pur-
 suance of the provisions of the said Act ; AND
 NOTICE is hereby given, that it is lawful for the
 bodies or persons mentioned in the 35th section of
 that Act, within one month after this publication, to
 petition Her Majesty in Council against the appro-
 bation of the said ordinance, or of any part
 thereof.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

ORDINANCE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Whereas certain regulations and ordinances,
 bearing date the ninth day of October, one thou-
 sand eight hundred and fifty-five, were under the
 authority of an Act, passed in the session of Par-
 liament, held in the seventeenth and eighteenth
 years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act
 " to make further provision for the good govern-
 " ment and extension of the University of Oxford,
 " of the Colleges therein, and of the College of
 " Saint Mary, Winchester,' made by the Rector
 and Scholars of Exeter College, Oxford, in amend-
 ment of the Statutes of the said College, and were
 approved by us the Commissioners appointed for
 the purposes of the said Act.

And whereas Her Majesty, by and with the
 advice of Her Privy Council, has been pleased to
 declare Her approbation of the said regulations

and ordinances, with the exception of section 5 of the third chapter, intituled "Deprivation."

We, the said Commissioners, make the following ordinance in place of the said section.

If any Fellow shall, after due enquiry made by the Rector, Sub Rector and Dean, appear to them to have been guilty of any grave immorality or obstinate heresy, or shall cease to be a Member of the Church of England, or of some Church in communion with the Church of England, it shall be lawful for the visitor on petition of the college to summon such Fellow, and on his appearance, or after due proof of the service of the summons in case of his nonappearance, to investigate the truth of the petition, and on proof thereof and refusal in the case of heresy, to make recantation thereof to proceed to the deprivation of such Fellows.

Given under our Common Seal this
eleventh day of July, one thou-
sand eight hundred and fifty-six.



Council-Office, Whitehall, November 28, 1856.

Whereas the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the Act of the 17th and 18th Vict., cap. 81, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of St. Mary, Winchester," on the eleventh day of July last, made the following ORDINANCE in place of a clause in the 2nd chapter of the regulations and ordinances framed on the eighth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, for the amendment of the Statutes of LINCOLN COLLEGE, OXFORD, and which clause has not been approved;

and whereas the said ordinance has been submitted to the said College, and no objection has been made thereto, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act; and NOTICE is hereby given that it is lawful for the bodies or persons mentioned in the 35th section of that Act, within one month after this publication, to petition Her Majesty in Council against the approbation of the said Ordinance, or of any part thereof.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

ORDINANCE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Whereas certain regulations and ordinances, bearing date the eighth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, were, under the authority of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the good government and extension of the University of Oxford, of the Colleges therein, and of the College of Saint Mary, Winchester," made by the Rector and Fellows of Lincoln College, Oxford, in amendment of the statutes of the said College, and were approved by us, the Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the said Act.

And whereas Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, has been pleased to declare Her approbation of the said regulations and ordinances, with the exception of the following clause in the second chapter thereof:

"Præterea, si innotescere poterit Rectori et majori parti Sociorum, quod aliquis Sociorum alicui hæreticæ opinioni in communicatione privata vel publicâ malitiosè et contumaciter faverit, a Collegio nostro pro perpetuo amoveatur; si non

infra sex dies post monitionem factam se Rectori submittat, correctionem humiliter subeundo."

We, the said Commissioners, make the following ordinance in place of the said clause :

Præterea si testimonio fide dignorum innotescere poterit Rectori et majori parti Sociorum quod aliquis Sociorum alicui hæreticæ opinioni contumaciter faverit, res ad visitatorem deferatur. Visitatoris autem erit dictum Socium ad se citare, et eo præsentem, vel etiam post citationem debite factam absente, rem cognoscere, et dictum Socium si testimonio fide dignorum convictus fuerit neque opinionem hæreticam retractaverit, a Collegio amovere.

Given under our Common Seal this
eleventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.



NOTICE.

Council-Office, Whitehall, November 28, 1856.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council from the inhabitant householders of the town of WREXHAM, in the county of Denbigh, praying, under the Acts of the 5th and 6th William the Fourth, cap. 76, and of the 1st Victoria, cap. 78, the grant of a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION to the said town ; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the fifth day of January next.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

Windsor Castle, November 28, 1856.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Henry Watson, Esquire, one of the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

Windsor Castle, November 28, 1856.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Rowland Macdonald Stephenson, Esquire, Civil Engineer, of Gloucester-terrace, Hyde Park, and late of Calcutta.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal
 " so much of two Acts made in the tenth and
 " fifteenth years of the reign of His present
 " Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House
 " of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk
 " of the Crown for making out writs for the elec-
 " tion of Members to serve in Parliament, in the
 " manner therein mentioned, and for substituting
 " other provisions for the like purposes :"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Sir Edward Sherlock Gooch, Baronet, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the eastern division of the county of Suffolk, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said eastern division of the county of Suffolk

at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this second day of December, 1856.

C. S. LEFEVRE, Speaker.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 2, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, fixing, as follows, the Import Duties on wools combed and dyed :

Combed	{ in French ships . . 70 frs. }	per.
	{ in Foreign ships . . 80 „ }	100
Dyed of	{ in French ships . . 100 „ }	kilos.
all kinds	{ in Foreign ships . . 115 „ }	

Admiralty, 1st December, 1856.

Vice-Admiral of the Blue the Honourable George Alfred Crofton has been appointed to receive a pension of £150 a-year, as provided for by Her Majesty's Order in Council of 25th June, 1851, vacant by the death of Admiral Frederick Watkins, and the name of Vice-Admiral the Honourable George Alfred Crofton has been removed to the Reserved Half-pay List accordingly; and, in consequence of this removal, the following promotions, dated the 12th ultimo, have this day taken place :

Rear-Admiral Sir David Dunn, K.C.H., on the Reserved Half-pay List, to be Vice-Admiral on the same List.

Rear-Admiral of the Red Sir Fairfax Moresby,
K.C.B., to be Vice-Admiral of the Blue.

Rear-Admiral of the White William Fanshawe
Martin to be Rear-Admiral of the Red.

Rear-Admiral of the Blue Thomas Bennett to
be Rear-Admiral of the White.

Captain the Honourable George Grey to be Rear-
Admiral of the Blue.

Captain William Townsend Dance has also been
promoted to be a Retired Rear-Admiral, on the
terms proposed in the London Gazette of 1st
September, 1846, but without increase of pay.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

Joseph Bennitt, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 24th November, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kent.*

East Kent Regiment of Militia.

George Edward Arthur Holdsworth, Gent., to
be Ensign, vice Waller, resigned. Dated 2nd
November, 1856.

FROM THE
LONDON GAZETTE of **DECEMBER 5.**
 1856.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of
November, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve and ratify the scheme duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

For authorizing the sale of certain property formerly belonging to the prebend of Beechill and Knaresborough, in the cathedral and metropolitan church of York, and now vested in the said Commissioners.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of
November, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the representations made (as set forth in this Gazette) by Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches—

For the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Paul, at Kent Town, in the parish of East Moulsey, in the county of Surrey, and diocese of Winchester, to be called "The District Chapelry of Saint Paul, Kent Town."

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of
November, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the time for the discontinuance of burials in the undermentioned churchyards and burial-grounds be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the parish churchyard of **ASHBY-DE-LA-ZOUCH**, from the first of January to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of **BOCKING**, *Essex*, from the first of December next to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard of **CASTLEFORD**, in the county of *York*, from the first of January to the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the "New Burial-grounds," in the parish of **FOLKESTONE**, from the first of November instant, to the first of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of **FOWEY**, from the first of December next to the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of the parish of **GODALMING**, from the first of November instant, to the first of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the parish churchyard, **GRANTHAM**, in the county of *Lincoln*, in the Roman Catholic Burial-ground, **Grantham**, in the parish of **Manthorpe-cum-Little Gonerby**, and in **Ebenezer Chapel Burial-ground**, in the parish of **Spittlegate**, from the first of January to the first of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; in the churchyard of **St. Michael**, **MERE**, *Wilts*, from the twenty-fifth of December next, to the first of April, one thousand eight hun-

dred and fifty-seven ; in the existing burial-grounds of the parishes of St. Thomas, St. Edmund, and St. Martin, SALISBURY, from the first of December next, to the first of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyard, and in the burial-grounds of the Wesleyan and Baptist Chapels, TODDINGTON, Beds, from the first of November instant, to the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the parish churchyard of TWEEDMOUTH, from the first of January to the first of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyard of St. Matthew, and in the parochial burial-ground in Bath-street, WALSALL, from the first of December next, to the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven ; in the churchyard, and in the Independent Chapel Burial-ground, WRAWBY, in the county of Lincoln, from the first of December next, to the first of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

And whereas, by an Order in Council of the eighth of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three burials were directed to be discontinued in the burial-ground of the parish of SAINT ANDREW, HOLBORN, situated in Gray's-inn-road, from the time mentioned in such Order, and such time has been extended by an Order in Council of the thirteenth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, until the city burial-ground should be fit for use, and it seems fit that the said last-mentioned Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said burial-ground of the parish of Saint Andrew, Holborn, in Gray's-inn-road, be

closed from and after the tenth of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

And whereas, by an Order in Council of the twenty-fourth of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, burials were directed to be discontinued in St. Bartholomew's Churchyard, BIRMINGHAM (except in existing vaults and walled graves in which each coffin should be separately entombed in an air-tight manner), on and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, in lieu thereof, and it is hereby ordered, that burials be discontinued in the said churchyard, on and after the thirty-first of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in now existing vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil which has been buried in, and in which each coffin shall be imbedded in powdered charcoal, and separately entombed in an air-tight manner.

And whereas, by an Order in Council of the eleventh of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four, burials were directed to be discontinued in the churchyard of OLD WINDSOR, from and after the first of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and such period has since been extended to the first of August last, and it seems fit that the said Order be varied ; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the use of the now existing vaults and brick graves in the said churchyard of Old Windsor be permitted, provided that the said vaults and brick graves, when required, be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be em-

bedded in powdered charcoal four inches in thickness, and separately entombed in brick-work properly cemented.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 28th day of *November*, 1856.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order, that the representations of the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State (as set forth in this Gazette), that no new burial-ground should be opened in any of the under-mentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications—

BODVARI, DENBIGHSHIRE.—In the *parish church* and within three yards thereof, and in the rest of the *churchyard*, except in graves not less than five feet deep; and that no grave previously buried in be reopened unless free from undecomposed remains, nor except to bury another of the same family. **MOLD.**—In the *parish church*, and in *Pontblydden Chapel of Ease*; and also (except in now existing family vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be imbedded in charcoal and separately entombed in an air-tight manner) in the old part of the *churchyard*, and in the rest of churchyard, and in *Pontblydden Chapelyard*, except in vaults and walled graves used with the like precautions, and in other graves so far as is compatible with the following regulations, viz.: that one body only is to be buried in one grave; no grave to be reopened within fourteen years, except to bury another of the same family, in which

case a layer of earth half a yard thick shall be left undisturbed above the previously buried coffin ; that no coffin be placed less than four feet below the surface ; no new grave to be within half a yard of any other grave. **BARNSELEY, IN THE PARISH OF SILKSTONE.**—In the *Roman Catholic Chapel*, Barnsley, in the *Primitive Methodist Chapel*, *Westgate*, also in *St. George's* Burial-ground within six yards of the National School and Playground, and (with the exception of now existing brick graves) in all parts of the ground which have already been buried in ; and that with the same exception, no grave be reopened ; that from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), burials be discontinued in the two churchyards of *St. Mary*, and in the burial-grounds of *Salem Chapel*, the *Roman Catholic Chapel*, the *Methodist New Connexion Chapel*, and the *Independent Chapel*, *Sheffield-road* ; that the now existing vaults and brick grave in all the above burial-grounds, and also the brick graves in *St. George's* Churchyard, be used on the following conditions ; viz. : that when required they be used without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and that each coffin be imbedded in powdered charcoal four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone work, properly cemented.

Also BASFORD, NOTTS.—Forthwith in the parish church, and also (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in, and in which each coffin shall be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in an air-tight manner) in the *Old*

Churchyard, in the burial-grounds of the *Methodist New Connexion Chapel*, of the *Wesleyan Methodist Chapel*; of the *Scotch Baptist Chapel*, *New Basford*, and of the *General Baptist Chapel*, *New Basford*. That in no burial-ground in this parish shall any burial take place within five yards of any dwelling-house or school, nor without a covering of four feet six inches of earth, measuring from the upper surface of the coffin to the general surface of the ground, and that, with the exception of family graves, only one body be buried in each grave.

MANSFIELD.—Forthwith in the *parish church*, in the *Independent Chapel*, the *Baptist Chapel*, the *Unitarian Chapel*, and in the *Friends' Burial-ground*, within three yards of all dwelling-houses; and from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven (with the exception of now existing vaults and brick graves), in the *parish churchyard*, and in the burial-grounds of the *Independent, Baptist, Unitarian, and Wesleyan Chapels*. That the above-named vaults and brick graves be used only on the following conditions, viz. : that, when required, they be opened without disturbing soil that has been already buried in; that each coffin be imbedded in a layer of powdered charcoal, four inches thick, and be separately entombed in brick or stone works properly cemented, and that the only bodies interred be those of husbands, wives, parents, unmarried children, and brothers, and sisters of those already buried therein. **CAMPSALL, YORKSHIRE.**

In the *parish church* *Campsall*, and from and after the first of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, in the *churchyard*. **ASKERN, YORKSHIRE.**—In the *parish churchyard* yard of *Askern* within three yards of the walls

of the church, and that burials be conducted in accordance with the 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Official Regulations for New Burial-grounds. **WILLENHALL.**—In the parish churchyard from and after the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, except in now existing vaults and walled graves which can be opened without the disturbance of soil that has been buried in, in which each coffin shall be imbedded in powdered charcoal and separately entombed in an air tight manner.

should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the fourteenth day of January next.

Windsor Castle, November 28, 1856.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Benjamin Chilley Campbell Pine, Esquire, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Forts and Settlements on the Gold Coast.

Windsor Castle, November 28, 1856.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Henry Davison, Esquire, of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law.

Windsor Castle, November 28, 1856.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Brooke O'Shaughnessy, Esquire, F.R.S., Surgeon in the Bengal Army.

Whitehall, December 4, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint—

The Right Honourable Lord Campbell;
 The Right Honourable Lord Wensleydale;
 Sir Edward Hall Alderson, Knt.;
 Sir Cresswell Cresswell, Knt;
 The Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart.;
 The Right Honourable James Archibald Stuart Wortley;
 Sir Frederick Thesiger, Knt.;
 John Wilson Patten, Esq.; and
 Horatio Waddington, Esq.,

to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for enquiring into the present arrangements for transacting the Judicial Business, Civil and Criminal, of the Superior Courts of Common Law in England and Wales.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

5th December, 1856.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Arthur Thomas Frederick, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, paying the difference, vice FitzGerald, who exchanges, receiving the difference. Dated 28th November, 1856.

Cornet Thomas Duffield, from the 16th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, vice Ferguson, promoted. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William Samuel Newton to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Gordon Drummond, deceased. Dated 18th November, 1856.

Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major John Halkett Le Couteur to be Captain and Lieu-

- tenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Newton.
Dated 18th November, 1856.
- 7th Regiment of Foot*, Ensign Francis John Foster to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice the Honourable Howard Moreton, deceased.
Dated 28th November, 1856.
- 17th Foot*, Ensign St. Aubin Barnett Lennard has been permitted to resign his Commission.
Dated 5th December, 1856.
- 18th Foot*, Lieutenant Hobart Evans FitzGerald, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Frederick, who exchanges. Dated 28th November, 1856.
- 50th Foot*, William Richard White, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Conran, promoted in the 86th Foot. Dated 5th December, 1856.
- 54th Foot*, Frederick Augustus Campbell, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hughes, promoted. Dated 5th December, 1856.
- 77th Foot*, Ensign Frederic Duncan Mant to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Sydney Smith, deceased. Dated 9th November, 1856.
- 81st Foot*, William Henry Munton Jackson, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Evans, deceased. Dated 5th December, 1856.
- 1st West India Regiment*, Serjeant-Major David Gardiner, from the 22nd Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Samson, promoted.
Dated 4th December, 1856.
- Richard Brew, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Bourke, whose appointment on the 13th November, 1856, has been cancelled.
Dated 5th December, 1856.
- Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class William Freeman Daniell, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Cole, placed upon half-pay. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Gold Coast Corps, William Cumming, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Gatehouse, promoted. Dated 5th December, 1856.

MILITARY TRAIN.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Pratt Woodfull to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Dew, whose appointment on 31st October, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 9th February, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Quartermaster Patrick Higgins, from half-pay British German Legion, to be Quartermaster. Dated 5th December, 1856.

STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Sillery, upon half-pay of a Depot Battalion, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General to the Troops serving in New Zealand, vice Brevet-Colonel W. A. McCleverty, whose period of Staff Service has expired. Dated 5th December, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Dispenser of Medicines John Andrews to be Apothecary to the Forces, vice James Woolley Simpson, placed upon half-pay. Dated 5th December, 1856.

The undermentioned Acting Assistant-Surgeons have ceased to do duty, there being no longer occasion for their services:—

Edward Ralph Blackett. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Robert Modlin. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Patrick James Mullarky. Dated 5th December, 1856.

John Lizars Lizars. Dated 24th October, 1856.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel John Alves, on retired full-pay of a Depôt Battalion, to be Major-General in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 5th December, 1856.

The under-mentioned promotions to take place in the East India Company's Army, consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Richard West, Madras Infantry, on the 15th September, 1856, and Major-General William John Butterworth, C.B., Madras Infantry, on the 4th November, 1856;—

Major-General Thomas Fiddes, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 15th September, 1856.

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Robert Stewart, Bengal Infantry. Dated 15th September, 1856.

Colonel Edward Pettingall, Bengal Infantry. Dated 4th November, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Service, retired upon full-pay to have a step of honorary rank, as follows:—

To be Major-General.

Colonel Edward Fitzgerald Day, Bengal Artillery. Dated 5th December, 1856.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant - Colonel Dacres Fitzherbert Evans, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Lieutenant - Colonel James Chicheley Plowden, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Lieutenant - Colonel Edward Griffiths Austin, Bengal Artillery. Dated 5th December, 1856.

- Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Foquett, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Nathaniel Hill Fische, Madras Artillery. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Kyan Duncan, Bengal Artillery. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel John Ramsay, Bombay Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel James Roger Western, Bengal Engineers. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Smith Trevor, Madras Artillery. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Lieutenant-Colonel William Charles Hicks, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

- Major William Carlisle Stather, Bombay Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major Herbert William Wood, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major William Vernon Mitford, Bengal Light Cavalry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major Charles Elliott Goad, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major Charles Andrew Kitson, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major Patrick Ogilvie, Madras Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major George Hickson Fagan, Bengal Engineers. Dated 5th December, 1856.
 Major David Edward Brewster, Bengal Infantry. Dated 5th December, 1856.
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*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
5th December, 1856.*

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MEMORANDA.

In pursuance of a Memorandum, dated October, 1854, the Queen has been pleased to confer upon Robert Cannon, Esq., a Ferik in the service of His Majesty the Sultan, the equivalent honorary rank of Lieutenant-General, such honorary rank however to confer no privilege as a British General Officer on Lieutenant-General Cannon. Dated 5th December, 1856.

In pursuance of a Memorandum, dated October, 1854, the Queen has been pleased to confer upon Lieutenant and Brevet-Captain Charles Thomas Edward Hinde, of the 65th Bengal Native Infantry and Lieutenant-Colonel in the service of His Majesty the Sultan, the equivalent honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, such honorary rank however to confer no privilege as a British Lieutenant-Colonel on that Officer. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Commission signed by the Queen.

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Charles William Parker, Esq., late Captain 4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia, and late Captain 69th Regiment, to be Adjutant from the 5th November, 1856, vice Grimston, deceased. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

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*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

*2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of
Middlesex Militia.*

Charles Godson, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon
from the 9th October, 1856, vice Millar, re-
signed. Dated 9th October, 1856.

Ensign William Dawes Malton to be Lieutenant,
vice Read, appointed to Ceylon Rifle Corps.
Dated 9th October, 1856.

Cerne Abbas Turnpike Road.

A Provisional Order, signed by Her Majesty's
Principal Secretary of State for the Home De-
partment, and dated November 14, 1856, autho-
rizes the Trustees of the Cerne Abbas Turnpike-
road, to reduce the rate of interest on their mort-
gage debt, and to extinguish the whole of the arrears
of interest (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant
to the Act 14th and 15th Victoria, cap. 38.

Two similar Orders, both dated November 18th,
1856, give the like authority to the Trustees of the
High Bridges and Uttoxeter Road,
and the
South District of the Royston and Wandesford
Bridge Road.

FROM THE

**LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 9,
1856.**

**AT the Court at Windsor, the 28th day of
November, 1856.**

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in
Council was pleased to approve and ratify the

scheme duly prepared (as set forth in this Gazette) by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England—

Relating to the property and income of the bishoprick of Gloucester and Bristol.

Whitehall, December 9, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to order a congé d'elire to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the cathedral church of Ripon to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Charles Thomas Longley, late Bishop thereof, to the See of Durham; and Her Majesty has also been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Reverend Robert Bickersteth, M.A., to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Ripon.

Downing-Street, December 6, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Walter Harding, Esq., to be Recorder of Natal, and John Staples Finden, Esq., to be Colonial Engineer for Her Majesty's Settlements in the Gambia.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal
 " so much of two Acts made in the tenth and
 " fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House
 " of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk of
 " the Crown for making out writs for the election
 " of Members to serve in Parliament, in the
 " manner therein mentioned, and for substituting
 " other provisions for the like purposes :"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of William Lockhart, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Lanark, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county of Lanark, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this sixth day of December, 1856.

C. S. LEFEVRE, Speaker.

Admiralty, 6th December, 1856.

The following promotions, dated the 1st instant, consequent on the death, on the 29th ultimo, of Rear-Admiral of the White Frederick William Beechey, have this day taken place :

Rear-Admiral of the Blue Peter Richards, C.B.,
to be Rear-Admiral of the White.

Captain the Most Honourable John, Marquis
Townshend, to be Rear-Admiral on the Re-
served Half-pay List.

Captain the Honourable Arthur Duncombe to be
Rear-Admiral on the Reserved Half-pay List.

Captain Sir James Clarke Ross to be Rear-Ad-
miral of the Blue.

Captain William Hamley has also been promoted
to be Retired Rear-Admiral on the terms pro-
posed in the London Gazette of the 1st Sep-
tember, 1846, without increase of pay.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

William Davenport Bromley, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Pembroke.*

Castlemartin Corps of Yeomanry Cavalry,
Decimus Byers, Esquire, to be Lieutenant of a
Troop. Dated 1st December, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 12,
1856.

Whitehall, December 10, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Colonel the Honourable William Lygon Pakenham, C.B., Her Majesty's royal license and permission that he may accept and wear the Cross of a Commander of the Second Class of the Order of Saint Maurice and Saint Lazarus, which the King of Sardinia hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of his approbation of his distinguished services before the enemy during the late war.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,
12th December, 1856.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Troop Serjeant-
Major William Don to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Still, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Cornet William Don to be Adjutant, vice Gilleland, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 12th December, 1856.

7th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Montague Dettmar to be Captain, vice Wetherall, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1856.

William Chaine, Gent., late Lieutenant, Antrim Artillery Militia, to be Cornet, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Dettmar, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

1st Regiment of Foot, Captain Henry Smyth Bawtree, from the 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice Todd, who exchanges. Dated 12th December, 1856.

4th Foot, Lieutenant John W. Laurie to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 14th November, 1856.

7th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William John Framp-ton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Foster, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

19th Foot, Ensign William Henry Moffatt to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sackville H. M. Eaton, who retires. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Arthur Westbrooke Burton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Moffatt. Dated 12th December, 1856.

26th Foot, Ensign Edward Kempson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hogarth, deceased. Dated 29th October, 1856.

29th Foot, Ensign Kenrick Verulam Bacon, from the 42nd Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, in succession to Lieutenant O'Loghlin, deceased. Dated 12th December, 1856.

36th Foot, Captain Joshua Cunliffe Ingham, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice Marshall, who exchanges. Dated 7th November, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur Francis Kelsey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hawkes, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

42nd Foot, Kenrick Verulam Bacon, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Fife Allan, who retires. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet George Thomas Carus Moore, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Bacon, appointed to the 29th Foot. Dated 12th December, 1856.

44th Foot, Lieutenant Joseph Logan to be Captain, by purchase, vice Streatfield, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1856.

46th Foot, Ensign John Abbott has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 12th December, 1856.

48th Foot, Ensign Cornwallis Wade Browne to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pennington, who retires. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Robert Yallop Stokes, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Browne. Dated 12th December, 1856.

49th Foot, Lieutenant Clifford W. Chaplin to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 26th November, 1856.

53rd Foot, Ensign Richard Annesley Eyre to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Drought, deceased. Dated 3rd September, 1856.

57th Foot, Captain G. R. J. Marshall, from the 36th Foot, to be Captain, vice Ingham, who exchanges. Dated 7th November, 1856.

58th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Cooper to be Captain, by purchase, vice Petley, who retires. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Ensign William Russell Russell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cooper. Dated 12th December, 1856.

Henry John Wynyard, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Russell. Dated 12th December, 1856.

65th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Herbert Suckling, from the 31st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Turner, promoted, without purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 12th December, 1856.

77th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Randle Jackson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Mant, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

87th Foot, Captain James Archibald Ruddell Todd, from the 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice Bawtree, who exchanges. Dated 12th December, 1856.

90th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon William Bradshaw, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Reid, who exchanges. Dated 12th December, 1856.

1st West India Regiment, Thomas George Mawe, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hemsworth, whose appointment on the 14th November, 1856, has been cancelled. Dated 12th December, 1856.

3rd West India Regiment, Charles Masterman Smyth, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Gun, deceased. Dated 12th December, 1856.

St. Helena Regiment, William Russell Nash, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Rainier, promoted. Dated 12th December, 1856.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Lieutenant - Colonel Caledon Richard Egerton,
from half-pay, 89th Foot, to be Lieutenant-
Colonel, vice Alves, retired upon full-pay.
Dated 12th December, 1856.

Paymaster John Peter Hall, from the 14th Foot,
to be Paymaster. Dated 12th December, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon Douglas Arthur Reid, M.D.,
from the 90th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon,
vice Bradshaw, who exchanges. Dated 12th
December, 1856.

Acting Assistant - Surgeon Harvey Rowe has
ceased to do duty, there being no longer occa-
sion for his services. Dated 12th December,
1856.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer having completed
three years' actual service on the 26th November,
1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be
promoted to be Colonel in the Army, under the
Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel David Elliot Mackirdy, 69th
Foot. Dated 26th November, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kincardine.*

Sir Alexander Bannerman, Bart., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

Robert Burnett the younger, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

Alexander Walker MacTier, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

Alexander Baird, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 20th November, 1856.

Hercules Scott the younger, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Worcester.*

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Thomas Coningsby Norbury Norbury, late Cap-
tain in the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain,
vice Blayney, deceased.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Middlesex.*

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Charles Francis Simms, Gent., to be Ensign, vice
Frederick, resigned. Dated 6th December,
1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Essex.*

The Essex Rifles.

Ensign Arthur James Fenn to be Lieutenant,
vice Drage, removed to the Line. Dated 10th
November, 1856.

Robert Edwardes, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Fenn,
promoted. Dated 10th November, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act passed in the fourth
year of the reign of Her present Majesty, in-
titled "An Act for the regulation of the duties
of postage," certain scales of weight and rates of
postage were fixed, and made chargeable and
payable upon, for, or in respect of, letters, news-

papers, parliamentary proceedings and printed papers, transmitted and forwarded by the post, and various regulations were made for facilitating the transmission of such letters and papers by the post.

And whereas by the said Act, powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time, and at any time thereafter, by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage or inland postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters, or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant, and from time to time by Warrant as aforesaid, to alter or repeal any of such altered rates, and make and establish any new or other rates in lieu thereof, and from time to time, by Warrant as aforesaid, to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid, and the power thereby given to alter and fix rates of postage is extended to any increase or reduction, or remission of postage.

And whereas further powers were given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post Office."

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to them, in and by the said two before mentioned Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, did by a certain Warrant in writing, under the hands of two of them, the said Commissioners, by the authority of

the statute in that case made and provided, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, order and direct that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament or the Colonial Legislatures might be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the several places mentioned and set forth in the Schedule B to the now reciting Warrant annexed; and that all such respective packets should be so transmitted in conformity with, and under, and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions thereafter mentioned and contained; and that the single rate of postage for the transmission thereof, if not exceeding half a pound in weight, should be that which was mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively in the said Schedule B, and that all such respective packets so transmitted should be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage thereafter mentioned.

And whereas in and by the said Schedule B to the said recited Warrant annexed, all such packets as were in the said recited Warrant mentioned were authorised to be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the respective colonies of New Zealand, New South Wales, and South Australia, and the single rate of postage chargeable and payable for the transmission of each such packet, under the regulations and conditions mentioned and prescribed in the said recited Warrant, was sixpence.

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury did, by a certain other Treasury Warrant, in writing, bearing date the 7th day of July, 1855, under the hands of two of them the

said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided, order and direct that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament, or any of the Colonial Legislatures, might be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Western Australia, and that on every such packet so transmitted under the provisions of the now reciting Warrant, if not exceeding half a pound in weight, there should be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof as aforesaid the uniform single rate of postage of six pence, and that on every such packet, exceeding half a pound in weight, there should be charged, taken, and paid such progressive and additional rates of postage as were directed to be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the several packets mentioned and contained in and authorized to be transmitted by the post, under the provisions of the said before-recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, and that all such respective packets should be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions therein mentioned.

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury did, by a certain other Treasury Warrant in writing, bearing date the 18th day of September, 1856, under the hands of two of them, the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order and direct, that all packets consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the

Imperial Parliament or any of the Colonial Legislatures, might be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the colony of Tasmania, and that on every such packet, so transmitted under the provisions of the now reciting Warrant as aforesaid, if not exceeding half a pound in weight, there should be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage of sixpence, and that on every such packet, exceeding half a pound in weight, there should be charged, taken, and paid such progressive and additional rates of postage as were directed to be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the several packets mentioned and contained in and authorized to be transmitted by the post, under the provisions of the said before-recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, and that all such respective packets should be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions therein mentioned.

And whereas it is expedient to alter the rates of postage so authorized to be charged, taken, and paid upon all such packets hereinbefore mentioned, as are transmitted by the post between the United Kingdom and the several colonies of New Zealand, New South Wales, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania, respectively, and for that purpose to repeal so much of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, as relates to the several colonies of New Zealand, New South Wales, and South Australia, respectively, and the rates of postage chargeable and payable for the transmission by the post of such packets between the said United Kingdom and the said several last-

mentioned colonies ; and also the said two several Warrants, bearing date, respectively, the said 7th day of July, 1855, and the said 18th day of September, 1856, relating to the several colonies of Western Australia and Tasmania respectively, and the rates of postage chargeable and payable for the transmission by the post of such packets between the said United Kingdom and the said two several last-mentioned colonies.

Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us in and by the said two hereinbefore recited Acts of Parliament, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order and direct, that so much and such parts of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, and of the Schedule B. thereunto annexed, as relates to the said several colonies of New Zealand, New South Wales, and South Australia, respectively, and the several rates of postage chargeable and payable for the transmission by the post of the packets therein mentioned between any part of the United Kingdom and any part of the said several colonies respectively; shall be and the same are hereby repealed, revoked, and annulled respectively ; and that the said several rates of postage lastly hereinbefore mentioned shall wholly cease and determine. And we do further order and direct, that the said several before-recited Warrants, bearing date respectively the 7th day of July, 1855, and the 18th day of September, 1856, shall be and the same are hereby repealed, revoked, and annulled respectively, and that the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage in such last-men-

tioned two several Warrants respectively mentioned and set forth shall wholly cease and determine.

And we do further order and direct, that all packets, consisting of books, publications, or works of literature or art, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and all packets consisting of printed votes and proceedings of the Imperial Parliament or the Colonial Legislatures, may be transmitted by the post between any part of the United Kingdom and any parts of the colonies, respectively, of New Zealand, New South Wales, South Australia, Western Australia, and Tasmania respectively, and that on every such packet so transmitted, under the provisions of this Warrant as aforesaid, if not exceeding half of a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof, as aforesaid, direct by packet boat or through Egypt, so long as no transit rate of postage be payable thereon, the uniform single rate of postage of eight pence ; and that on every such packet, exceeding half of a pound in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid such progressive and additional rates of postage as are directed to be charged, taken, and paid on and in respect of the several packets mentioned, and contained in and authorised to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, and remaining unrepealed.

And we do further order and direct, that the terms " books," " publications," or " works of literature or art," herein used, shall, for the purposes of this Warrant, have the like meaning and include the same articles and things, in all respects, as are mentioned and described to be meant and included by the like terms used in the said Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855.

And we do further order and direct, that all such respective packets to be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this present Warrant shall be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions contained in the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, with respect to the several packets therein mentioned (except such as relate exclusively to packets posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales addressed to the United Kingdom), and that all such respective packets so to be transmitted, under the provisions of this present Warrant, shall be subject, as well to the several progressive and additional rates of postage aforesaid, as also to the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except as aforesaid), respectively mentioned, expressed, and contained in and by the said hereinbefore-recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, in like manner in all respects, and as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes, as if the said several progressive and additional rates of postage, and the said several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions (except such only as relate exclusively to packets posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the East Indies or New South Wales, or posted in the East Indies or New South Wales addressed to the United Kingdom), respectively mentioned and contained in the said hereinbefore-recited Warrant, bearing date the 22nd day of February, 1855, were contained, inserted, expressed, and repeated in this present Warrant.

And we do further order and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time 1856.

being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant duly made at any time hereafter, to alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates that may be payable are to be paid.

And we do further order and direct, that this Warrant shall come into operation on the thirteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the eighth day of December, 1856.

Duncan.

H. Brand.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 16,
1856.

Whitehall, December 13, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing

The Right Honourable Lord Broughton ;
The Very Reverend Henry Hart Milman, D.D. ;
Richard Ford, Esq. ;
Michael Faraday, Esq., D.C.L. ;
Charles Robert Cockerell, Esq. ; and
George Richmond, Esq. ;

to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to determine the site of the New National Gallery, and to report on the desirableness of combining with it

the Fine Art and Archæological Collections of the British Museum, in accordance with the recommendation of the Select Committee on the National Gallery in 1853.

Foreign-Office, October 31, 1856.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Benvenuto Mathew, Esq., late Her Majesty's Consul at Philadelphia, to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Russian Ports in the Black Sea.

Foreign-Office, December 15, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. William Downing Bruce as Vice-Consul at Edinburgh and Leith for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 15, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rio de Janeiro, transmitting copy of a Brazilian Imperial Decree, regulating the carrying trade between the ports on the sea coast of the Empire, and the port of Albuquerque, and admitting foreign flags to participate in it under certain conditions, involving the deposit by the exporter of a sum equivalent to the amount of the export duties on the cargo, which will be forfeited, if within one year the discharge of the goods should not be proved by a certificate from the Fiscal Station of Albuquerque.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
16th December, 1856.*

12th Regiment of Light Dragoons.

Major-General Sir Lovell Benjamin Lovell, K.C.B.,
to be Colonel, vice General Sir Henry John
Cumming, deceased. Dated 29th November,
1856.

74th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Charles Augustus Shawe to
be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Alexander
Thomson, C.B., deceased. Dated 24th No-
vember, 1856.

Admiralty, 11th December, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

BREVET.

Captain John Thompson Aslett having been al-
lowed to retire on full pay, under the provisions
of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th Sep-
tember, 1854, to be Major, the rank being
honorary only.

Admiralty, 12th December, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant George Bayles Heasty to be
Captain, vice J. T. Aslett, retired.
Second Lieutenant John Frederick Crease to be
First Lieutenant, vice Heasty, promoted.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Stafford.*

Job Meigh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 9th December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kincardine.*

James Fitzmaurice Scott, Esq., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 20th November, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County Palatine of Lancaster.*

*The Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of
Yeomanry Cavalry and Lancashire Hussars.*

Charlie Berkeley Molyneux, Esq. (late Captain in
the 4th Light Dragoons), to be Adjutant.
Dated 11th December, 1856.

FROM THE

*LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 19,
1856.*

Foreign-Office, December 17, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of
Mr. Carl Lange as Vice-Consul at Newcastle-
on-Tyne for the Grand Duke of Mecklenburgh-
Schwerin.

Whitehall, December 17, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to present the
Reverend David Stirling to the church and parish
of Dalmellington, in the presbytery and shire of
Ayr, vacant by the death of the Reverend William
Gilchrist, late Minister thereof.

Downing-Street, December 17, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Stephenson Villiers Surtees, Esq., to be Chief Judge, and J. E. Remono, Esq., to be First Puisne Judge, of the Supreme Court of the Island of Mauritius.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Giovanni Conti, LL.D., to be one of the Judges for the Island of Malta.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Alexander Stewart, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Trinidad; Charles Ambrose Lorenz, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Ceylon; Hugh Low, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of Labuan, and the Chief Justice of Antigua to be a Member of the Council of that Island.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
19th December, 1856.*

55th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General The Honourable George Anson to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General The Honourable Henry E. Butler, deceased. Dated 8th December, 1856.

82nd Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Nicholas Hamilton to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Francis M. Milman, deceased. Dated 10th December, 1856.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
19th December, 1856.*

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet Walter Blachford Gifford, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Johnston,

who retired on the 3rd June, 1856. Dated 19th December, 1856.

4th Light Dragoons, William Chaine, Junr., Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ames, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, John Fletcher Hathorn, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable William Henry Bruce Ogilvy, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

19th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant George Stewart Nutting has been permitted to retire from the Service, by the sale of his Commission. Dated 19th December, 1856.

27th Foot, Ensign Henry Scott Simeon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Garstin, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Henry Monteath Caine, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Simeon. Dated 19th December, 1856.

30th Foot, Decimus Montagu, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mackesy, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

32nd Foot, Lieutenant Alfred Bassano to be Captain, without purchase, vice Birtwhistle, deceased. Dated 15th October, 1856.

Ensign Henry George Browne to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Bassano. Dated 15th October, 1856.

37th Foot, Ensign George Bagnall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Webb, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Michael Andrews Borthwick, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bagnall. Dated 19th December, 1856.

38th Foot, Captain Sidney Godolphin Quicke, from half-pay of the 38th Foot, to be Captain, vice Beswick, appointed Adjutant of a Depot Battalion. Dated 19th December, 1856.

47th Foot, Captain James Armar Lowry, from half-pay of the 47th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Hamilton, promoted to the Substantive Rank of Major Unattached, under the Royal Warrant of the 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th December, 1856.

49th Foot, Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Cadwallader Adams, from half-pay Unattached, to be Major, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel King, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain Charles FitzGerald, from half-pay of the 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel C. Adams, promoted to the Substantive Rank of Major Unattached. Dated 19th December, 1856.

50th Foot, Ensign Charles Wynn Isdell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Massy, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

55th Foot, Captain S. W. F. Wilson, from half-pay of the 55th Foot, to be Captain, vice Werge, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Ensign Archibald James Arnott to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pirrie, who retires. Dated 19th December, 1856.

William Martin Frobisher, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Arnott, promoted. Dated 19th December, 1856.

72nd Foot, Captain Robert Douglas, from half-pay of the 72nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Alison, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th December, 1856.

77th Foot, Captain Edward Morton Long, from half-pay of the 77th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel G. H. S. Willis, promoted to the Substantive Rank of Major Unattached, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 19th December, 1856.

UNATTACHED.

The under-mentioned Officers to have their Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854, viz. :—

Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel John Hynde King, from the 49th Foot. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Meade Hamilton, 47th Foot, to have the Substantive Rank of Major. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Harry Smith Willis, 77th Foot, to have the Substantive Rank of Major. Dated 19th December 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Cadwalader Adams to have the Substantive Rank of Major. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Major the Honourable Henry Clifford, from Rifle Brigade. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Major William Henry Dominic Fitzgerald, from Unattached. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Reynolds Werge, from 55th Foot. Dated 19th December, 1856.
 Captain and Brevet-Major Archibald Alison, from the 72nd Foot. Dated 19th December, 1856.

To be Captains, without purchase.

Lieutenant James Hunter, from half-pay 13th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Lieutenant Valentine Browne, from half-pay 13th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Lieutenant Vaughan Jones, from half-pay 8th Garrison Battalion, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 19th December, 1856.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant - Staff - Surgeon John Hendley, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Daniell, appointed to the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Henry Hervé Woolhouse has ceased to do duty, there being no longer any occasion for his services. Dated 19th December, 1856.

To be Assistant-Surgeons to the Forces.

Frederick Oakes, Gent., vice Hendley, promoted on the Staff. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Tertius Ball, vice Barnett, appointed to the 6th Dragoons. Dated 3rd November, 1854.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon Charles Buckley, vice Meares, appointed to 59th Foot. Dated 25th April, 1855.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon George Langford Hinde, vice Muschamp, appointed to the Military Train. Dated 15th May, 1855.

Acting Assistant-Surgeon James Alfred Turner.
Dated 7th July, 1855.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officer, having completed three years' actual service on the 18th December, 1856, in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be promoted to the rank of Colonel in the Army, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854 :

Lieutenant-Colonel Stanhope William Jephson, of the 2nd Foot. Dated 18th December, 1856.

The undermentioned promotions to take place consequent upon the decease of the following General Officers :

Lieutenant-General Sir John Rolt, K.C.B., K.C.,
died 8th November, 1856;

Lieutenant-General Alexander Thomson, C.B.,
died 23rd November, 1856;

Lieutenant-General Honourable H. E. Butler,
died the 7th December, 1856;—

Lieutenant-General Sir Richard England, G.C.B.,
the Senior Supernumerary Lieutenant-General,
to be placed upon the Fixed Establishment.

Lieutenant-General Alexander Thomson, C.B.,
died 23rd November, 1856;

General Sir H. J. Cumming, died 28th November, 1856;

Lieutenant-General Honourable H. E. Butler,
died 7th December, 1856;—

Brevet-Colonel Alexander Fraser, half-pay Unattached, to be promoted to the rank of Major-General, but is not entitled to the Unattached pay of that rank. Dated 8th December, 1856.

Brevet-Colonel Lord Charles Wellesley, half-pay Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 8th December, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. E. Napier, Unattached,
to be Colonel. Dated 8th December, 1856.

Major H. E. Longden, 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th December, 1856.

Captain Donald William Tench (Staff Officer of Pensioners), half-pay 15th Light Dragoons, to be Major. Dated 8th December, 1856.

The Commissions as Major-Generals, with temporary rank, of the undermentioned Officers have been antedated to the 24th July, 1856 :

Brevet-Colonel William Freke Williams.

Brevet-Colonel Robert Garrett.

Brevet-Colonel Charles Warren, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Lord William Paulet, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Duncan Alexander Cameron, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Charles Van Staubenzee.

Brevet-Colonel Honourable A. A. Spencer, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel John Lawrenson

Brevet-Colonel William Parlbv.

Brevet-Colonel Frederick Horn, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel A. A. T. Cunynghame, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Charles Trollope, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel A. J. Lawrence, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Horatio Shirley, C.B.

Brevet-Colonel Randal Rumley.

Brevet-Colonel Charles R. S. Lord West, C.B.

The undermentioned promotion to take place in the East India Company's Army, consequent upon the death of Major-General Stephen Moody, Bengal Infantry, on 28th November, 1856:

To be Major-General.

Colonel Henry Hancock, Bombay Infantry.
Dated 28th November, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Army, retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank:

Lieutenant-Colonel George Stephens Brown, Bombay Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 5th December, 1856.

Lieutenant-Colonel John James Hamilton, Bengal Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 19th December, 1856.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal South Gloucester Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Charles Austin Gibson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Compigne, deceased. Dated 13th December, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," it was enacted (amongst other things) that printed newspapers might be sent free of postage, or liable to postage according to certain regulations and rates in the said Act set forth. And it was by the said Act provided that the Postmaster-General might remit any of the rates of British postage or inland postage, for the time being, payable by law on the transmission of post letters, newspapers, or other printed papers, to such extent as the Lords of the Treasury should from time to time direct.

And whereas by another Act of Parliament, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office," it was (amongst other things) enacted that it should be lawful for the Postmaster-General, if he should think fit, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, to allow any printed words, writing, or marks, in addition to the direction, to be put on any printed newspapers or other printed papers sent by the post, or on the covers thereof, and any such newspapers or other printed papers should from thenceforth be forwarded, either free of postage or subject to such rates of postage as the Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury should from time to time direct.

And whereas by another Act of Parliament, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to the stamp duties on newspapers, and to provide for the transmission by post of printed periodical publications," it was (amongst other things) enacted that it should be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant under their hands, to allow any printed newspaper (British, colonial, or foreign) to be transmitted by the post between places in the United Kingdom and Her Majesty's colonies or foreign countries, or between any ports or places beyond the sea, whether through the United Kingdom or not, either free of postage or subject to such rates of postage, not exceeding two pence for each newspaper, irrespective of any foreign or colonial postage, as the Commissioners

of the Treasury or the Postmaster-General, with their consent, should from time to time think fit.

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to them in and by the several before-recited Acts, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, did by a certain Warrant, in writing, under the hands of two of them the said Commissioners, by the authority of the Statute in that case made and provided, bearing date the 30th day of June, 1855, order, direct, and consent that the several printed newspapers, periodical publications, and printed prices current, mentioned in the Schedule to that Warrant annexed, should and might be transmitted by the post between any part of the several places mentioned and set forth in the said Schedule, in conformity with, and under, and subject to, the several orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions thereafter mentioned and contained, either free or that the rates of postage for the transmission thereof should and might be those which were mentioned and set forth against the said places, respectively, in the said Schedule, according as the word "free" or the said rate of postage should be mentioned or set forth against the said places respectively in the said Schedule.

And whereas, in and by the said Schedule, to the said recited Warrant annexed, British newspapers were authorised to be transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom to Prussia, or any foreign country, via Prussia, by packet boat "free," and by private ship at the British rate of postage of one penny each.

And whereas it is expedient to alter the regulation and rate for the transmission, by the post, of the said last-mentioned newspapers, and to authorize the transmission thereof, by the post, at

a uniform British rate of postage of one penny each, in manner hereinafter mentioned:—

1 Now we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us, in and by the said several hereinbefore recited Acts, or either of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order, direct, and consent, that so much of the said recited Warrant, bearing date the 30th day of June, 1855, and of the said schedule thereunto annexed, as respectively relate to the transmission by the post of British newspapers from the United Kingdom to Prussia, or any foreign country *viâ* Prussia, by packet boat free, and by private ship at the rate of postage of one penny each, shall be, and the same are, and is hereby repealed, revoked, and annulled, and that the regulation and rate of postage respectively, by which such last-mentioned newspapers are thereby authorized to be transmitted by packet boat free, and by private ship at the rate of one penny each, shall wholly cease and determine.

2. And we do further order, direct, and consent that all British newspapers shall and may be transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom to Prussia, or any foreign country or British colony, *viâ* Prussia, at the uniform British rate of postage, for the transmission thereof, of one penny each, and that such uniform British rate of postage hereby imposed shall be charged and taken in lieu and instead of the same, being respectively sent free and at the rate of postage in the said recited Warrant of the 30th day of June, 1855, mentioned. And that all such last-mentioned newspapers shall, in all other respects, be so trans-

mitted by the post, in conformity with and under and subject to the several orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions mentioned and contained, in the said recited Warrant of the 30th day of June, 1855, in like manner as if the said several orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions had been and were herein respectively contained, repeated, and set forth.

3. And we do further order, direct, and consent that this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January next; and that the several terms and expressions herein used shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as the like terms and expressions used in the said recited Warrant of the 30th day of June, 1855, so far as the same are applicable hereto, and are not altered or repealed by this present Warrant.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the sixteenth day of December, 1856.

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H. Brand.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 23,
1856.

At the Court at Osborne, December 12, 1856.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased, by Letters Patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installation, and to grant unto His Imperial Majesty the

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Sultan, Abdul Medjid, Knight of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the said Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if His Imperial Majesty had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Downing-Street, December 22, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry James Ross, Esquire, to be Attorney-General for the Island of Grenada; and Kenrick W. Collett, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Advocate for the Colony of Sierra Leone.

Whitehall, December 13, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Ewen Charles Sutherland, of Crow Nest, in the parish of Halifax, in the West Riding of the county of York, Esquire, son of George Mackay Sutherland, late a Captain in the Army, deceased, by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of John Walker, of Crow Nest aforesaid, and sister of Ann Walker, of Shibden Hall, in the said parish of Halifax, Spinster, all deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with the direction contained in the last will and testament of his maternal aunt, the said Ann Walker, assume and use the surname of Walker, in addition to and after that of Sutherland, and also bear the arms of Walker quarterly in the first quarter, with those of Sutherland, and that such surname and arms may be borne and used by his issue, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office,

otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, December 17, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Theodore Tucker, of Mountsorrel, in the county of Leicester, Gentleman, son of William Tucker, of Upper Brixham, in the county of Devon, Doctor in Medicine, by Arabella, his wife, who is the sister of Thomas Castledine, late of Lutterworth, in the said county of Leicester, and formerly of Mountsorrel aforesaid, Gentleman, deceased, Her royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a condition contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said Thomas Castledine, take and henceforth use the surname of Castledine, in addition to and after that of Tucker :

And to command that the said royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 22, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Warsaw, reporting that the prohibition to export rye, barley, oats, meal of all kinds, groats, and potatoes, from the kingdom of Poland, has been removed.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 23, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Madrid, reporting that the Spanish Government have fixed the import duty on floss silk as follows :

Floss silk—National flag, 18 reals per quintal ;
foreign flag, or by hand, 28 reals per quintal.
Floss silk, spun or twisted—National flag, 4
reals 70 c. per lb. ; foreign flag, or by hand,
4 reals 80 c. per lb.

Admiralty, 19th December, 1856.

Corps of Royal Marines.

First Lieutenant and Adjutant Henry Adair to
be Captain, vice Ireland, deceased.
Second Lieutenant Colpoys Parkyns Heaslop to
be First Lieutenant, vice Adair, promoted.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1856.

First Lieutenant John Poore to be Adjutant to
the Artillery Companies, Royal Marines, vice
Adair.

Commission signed by the Queen.

*Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles-
shire Militia Artillery.*

John Stewart to be Quartermaster. Dated 3rd
October, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Kent.*

West Kent Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Royall Silver, Gent. (late Cornet 11th Hussars), to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th November, 1856.

Lieutenant Thomas Royall Silver to be Adjutant, vice Albert, deceased. Dated 27th November, 1856.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
West Riding of the County of York and of the
City and County of the City of York.*

West York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Charles Muscroft, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 21st November, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Yorkshire (West Riding) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Jonas Foster, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Fullerton, resigned. Dated 26th November, 1856.

[The following Appointments are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the several dates mentioned below.]

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
West Riding of the County of York, and of the
City and County of the City of York.*

In the Gazette of 20th July, 1855.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Ensign Bryan Eyre Coote Comber, from the 5th Regiment of West York Militia, to be Ensign. Dated 14th July, 1855.

In the Gazette of 14th September, 1855.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Ensign George Shirley Terry, from the 5th Regiment of West York Militia, to be Ensign.
Dated 23rd August, 1855.

In the Gazette of 16th October, 1855.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Ensign Arthur Hay Maude, from the 5th Regiment of West York Militia, to be Ensign.
Dated 21st September, 1855.

In the Gazette of the 12th February, 1856.

2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Ensign Charles Masterman Smyth, from the 5th Regiment of West York Militia, to be Ensign.
Dated 2nd February, 1856.

TREASURY WARRANT.

Whereas, by an Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the regulation of the duties of postage," power is given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, from time to time by Warrant under their hands, to alter and fix any of the rates of British postage payable by law on the transmission by the post of foreign or colonial letters or newspapers, or of any other printed papers, and to subject the same to rates of postage according to the weight thereof, and a scale of weight to be contained in such Warrant.

And whereas further powers are given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by

another Act, passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for giving further facilities for the transmission of letters by post, and for the regulating the duties of postage thereon, and for other purposes relating to the Post-office."

And whereas certain powers are also given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury by another Act, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to the stamp duties on newspapers, and to provide for the transmission by post of printed periodical publications."

And whereas the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by certain Warrants in writing under their hands, bearing date respectively the 9th day of May, 1843, the 27th day of December, 1854, the 14th day of February, 1855, and the 31st day of December, 1855, did make and give certain orders, directions, and regulations relating to the transmission by the post of certain letters, newspapers and other printed publications and papers, and also of certain packets consisting of printed newspapers, certain other packets consisting of printed papers other than newspapers, and certain other packets consisting of printed newspapers and other printed papers therein respectively and hereinafter mentioned, from certain places to certain other places therein respectively and hereinafter mentioned.

And whereas a Treaty hath been lately entered into between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French, for regulating the communications by post between their respective dominions, and it is expedient, for the better carrying out of the same, that the said recited Warrants, bearing date respectively, the 9th day of May, 1843, the 27th day of December, 1854, the 14th day of February,

1855, and the 31st day of December, 1855, should be repealed, and that certain other regulations should be made in the manner hereinafter mentioned.

1. Now, we, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers reserved to us, in and by the said hereinbefore recited Acts of Parliament, and every of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, by the authority of the statute in that case made and provided, order and direct, that the said recited Warrants, bearing date respectively, the 9th day of May, 1843, the 27th day of December, 1854, the 14th day of February, 1855, and the 31st day of December, 1855, be, and the same are hereby repealed, revoked and annulled, respectively, and that the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage therein respectively mentioned and set forth, shall wholly cease and determine.

2. And we do further order and direct, that every letter not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, posted in any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the first column of the Schedule A, to this Warrant annexed, addressed to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the second column of such schedule, may be transmitted by the post from any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said first column of the said Schedule A, to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said second column of such schedule; and that all such respective letters shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained. And that the single rate of postage for the transmission thereof, shall

be that which is mentioned and set forth against the said countries and places respectively, in the said Schedule A; and that all such respective letters so transmitted, shall be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:

On every such letter, so transmitted as aforesaid, if not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof respectively as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage which is mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively, in the said Schedule A.

And on every such letter, exceeding a quarter of an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid progressive and additional rates of postage, as follows; that is to say:—

On every such letter, if exceeding a quarter of an ounce and not exceeding half an ounce in weight, two rates of postage.

And on every such letter, if exceeding half an ounce and not exceeding three-quarters of an ounce in weight, three rates of postage.

And on every such letter, if exceeding three quarters of an ounce and not exceeding one ounce in weight, four rates of postage.

And for every additional quarter of an ounce in weight of any such letter above the weight of one ounce, there shall be charged, taken, and paid one additional rate of postage, and every fractional part of such additional quarter of an ounce shall be charged as an additional quarter of an ounce in weight, and each progressive and additional rate, chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with, under this Warrant,

if not exceeding one quarter of an ounce in weight.

3. And we do further order and direct, that every letter, not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, posted in any of the countries and places mentioned, and set forth in the first column of the Schedule B, to this Warrant annexed, addressed to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the second column of such Schedule, may be transmitted by the post from any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said first column of the said Schedule B, to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said second column of such Schedule; and that all such respective letters shall be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained ; and that the single rate of postage for the transmission thereof shall be that which is mentioned and set forth against the said countries and places respectively, in the said Schedule B ; and that all such respective letters so transmitted, shall be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage hereinafter mentioned ; that is to say :

On every such letter so transmitted as aforesaid, if not exceeding half of an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof, respectively as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage which is mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively, in the said Schedule B.

And on every such letter exceeding half of an ounce in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid progressive and additional rates of postage as follows ; that is to say :

On every such letter, if exceeding half of an ounce and not exceeding one ounce, in weight, two rates of postage.

And on every such letter, if exceeding one ounce, and not exceeding two ounces in weight, four rates of postage.

And on every such letter, if exceeding two ounces and not exceeding three ounces in weight, six rates of postage.

And for every ounce in weight of any such letter above the weight of three ounces, there shall be charged, taken, and paid two additional rates of postage. And every fractional part of such additional ounce shall be charged as an additional ounce in weight; and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such letter would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding half an ounce in weight.

4. And we do further order and direct, that every letter (whatever may be the weight of it), posted in Spain, addressed to Gibralter, and sent by the post to Gibralter otherwise than by sea, shall be chargeable with a British rate of one penny.

5. And we do further order and direct, that all packets consisting of printed newspapers posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any of the respective countries and places mentioned, and set forth in the second column of the Schedule C to this Warrant annexed, may be transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom to any of the respective countries and places mentioned, and set forth in the said second column of the said Schedule C; and that all such respective packets shall be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, direc-

tions, and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained relating thereto, and that the single rate of postage for the transmission of such packets shall be that which is mentioned and set forth against such countries and places in the said Schedule C.

6. And we do further order and direct, that all packets consisting of printed papers, other than newspapers, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any of the respective countries and places mentioned, and set forth in the second column of the Schedule D to this Warrant annexed, may be transmitted by the post from the United Kingdom, to any of the respective countries and places mentioned, and set forth in the said second column of the said Schedule D. And that all such respective last mentioned packets shall be so transmitted, in conformity with, and under, and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained, relating thereto. And that the single rate of postage for the transmission of such packets shall be that which is mentioned and set forth against such countries and places in the said Schedule D.

7. And we do further order and direct that all such respective packets transmitted under the fifth and sixth clauses of this Warrant hereinbefore respectively contained, shall be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage hereinafter mentioned ; that is to say :

On every such packet, if not exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken and paid for the transmission thereof respectively as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage which is mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively in the said Schedules C and D respectively.

And on every such packet, exceeding four ounces in weight, there shall be charged,

taken, and paid progressive and additional rates of postage as follows; that is to say:—
On every such packet, if exceeding four ounces in weight and not exceeding half a pound in weight, two rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding half a pound in weight and not exceeding one pound in weight, four rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and not exceeding one pound and a half in weight, six rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and a half and not exceeding two pounds in weight, eight rates of postage.

And for every additional half of a pound in weight, of any such packet, above the weight of two pounds, there shall be charged, taken, and paid two additional rates of postage, and every fractional part of such additional half of a pound shall be charged as an additional half of a pound in weight, and each progressive and additional rate, chargeable under this clause, shall be estimated and charged at the sum, which any such packet would be charged with, under this Warrant, if not exceeding four ounces in weight.

8. And we do further order and direct, that all packets, consisting of printed newspapers and other printed papers, posted in any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the first column of the Schedule E, to this Warrant annexed, addressed to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the second column of such last-mentioned schedule, may be transmitted by the post from any of the countries and places, mentioned and set forth in the said first column of the said Schedule E, to any of the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said second column of such Schedule, and that

all such respective last-mentioned packets shall be so transmitted in conformity with and under and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained relating thereto, either free or that the single rate of postage for the transmission of such packets shall be that which is mentioned and set forth against such countries and places, in the said Schedule E, according as the words "free of British postage," or the said rate of postage shall be mentioned or set forth against the said places respectively in such Schedule; and that all such respective packets, transmitted and chargeable with postage under this clause, shall be subject to the several progressive and additional rates of postage hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

On every such packet, if not exceeding two ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid for the transmission thereof respectively, as aforesaid, the uniform single rate of postage which is mentioned and set forth against the said places respectively, in the said Schedule E.

And on every such packet exceeding two ounces in weight, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, progressive and additional rates of postage, as follows; that is to say:

On every such packet, if exceeding two ounces in weight and not exceeding four ounces in weight, two rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding four ounces in weight and not exceeding half of a pound in weight, four rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding half of a pound in weight and not exceeding one pound in weight, eight rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and not exceeding one pound and a half in weight, twelve rates of postage.

And on every such packet, if exceeding one pound and a half and not exceeding two pounds in weight, sixteen rates of postage.

And for every additional half of a pound in weight of any such packet above the weight of two pounds, there shall be charged, taken, and paid, four additional rates of postage; and every fractional part of such additional half of a pound, shall be charged as an additional half of a pound in weight; and each progressive and additional rate chargeable under this clause shall be estimated and charged at the sum which any such packet would be charged with under this Warrant, if not exceeding two ounces in weight.

9. And we do further order and direct, that the several printed newspapers mentioned in the Schedule F, to this Warrant annexed, posted in the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the first column of such schedule, addressed to the respective countries and places mentioned and set forth in the second column of the said Schedule F, may be transmitted by the post from the countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said first column of the said Schedule F to the respective countries and places mentioned and set forth in the said second column of the said Schedule F; and that all such respective newspapers shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under and subject to, the several regulations, orders, directions, and conditions hereinafter mentioned and contained relating thereto; and that the rate of postage for the transmission of every such newspaper shall be that which is mentioned and set forth against such countries and places in the said Schedule F.

10. And we do further order and direct, that as to any letter hereinbefore, in the second clause

of this Warrant authorised, to be sent by the post which shall be posted in the United Kingdom addressed to France or Algeria, the postage thereof shall in every case be paid, either in money or by being stamped with the proper British postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall in every case be affixed or appear on the outside of every such letter near the address, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage duty payable thereupon under or by virtue of this Warrant. And as to every such letter posted in France or Algeria addressed to the United Kingdom, it is the intention that the postage thereof shall in every case be paid at the time of the same being posted; and if the postage of any such letter posted in the United Kingdom addressed to France or Algeria, shall not be duly and properly paid, either in money or by British stamps, when posted, or if the postage of any such letter posted in France or Algeria, addressed to the United Kingdom, shall not be duly and properly paid when posted, every such letter shall be charged with a postage of double the amount of postage to which it would have been liable under the provisions of this Warrant if the postage thereof had been paid in money or stamps when posted. But if any such letter posted in the United Kingdom addressed to France or Algeria, or posted in France or Algeria addressed to the United Kingdom, shall have thereon or affixed thereto a stamp or stamps, the value of which shall be less in amount than the rate of postage to which such letter would be liable under or by virtue of this Warrant, the amount of such stamp or stamps shall be allowed and deducted in charging the double postage thereon.

11. And we do further order and direct, that as to any such letter hereinbefore in the second

clause of this Warrant authorised to be sent by the post, which shall be posted in France or Algeria, addressed to Malta, or posted in Malta, addressed to France or Algeria, if the postage thereof shall not be duly and properly paid when posted, every such letter shall be charged with a postage of double the amount of postage to which it would have been liable under the provisions of this Warrant if the postage thereof had been paid when posted ; and as to any such letter which shall be posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to any of the places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, viâ France, or which shall be posted in any of the places in Turkey, Syria or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, addressed to the United Kingdom, viâ France ; and as to any such letter which shall be posted in any of the places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, addressed to Malta, or which shall be posted in Malta, addressed to any of the places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, there shall be charged and paid for the transmission thereof respectively, the single rate of paid or unpaid postage mentioned and set forth against the said countries and places respectively in the said Schedule A according as the postage thereof shall be paid or unpaid upon any such letter when posted.

12. And we do further order and direct, that as to any letter transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, to or from France or Algeria, or to or from foreign countries viâ France, the rates of British postage imposed and payable on letters transmitted by packet boat between Suez or Bassora, or any other port in the Red Sea or Persian Gulf, and any port in the East Indies, under or by virtue of the said recited Act, passed 1856.

in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, shall be no longer chargeable or payable thereupon.

13. And we do further order and direct, that nothing herein contained shall be construed in anywise to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the exemptions and privileges granted by the said recited Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, nor to annul, prejudice, or affect any of the privileges which seamen and soldiers, employed in Her Majesty's Service, and seamen and soldiers employed in the service of the East India Company, now by law enjoy of sending and receiving by the post, letters not exceeding half an ounce in weight, subject to the regulations and restrictions in respect of the same.

14. And we do further order and direct, that as to any letters, or printed newspapers, or other printed papers, which shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, to or from British North America, viâ the United States, any transit rates payable thereon to the United States Government, shall be charged and paid in addition to any rates of postage payable under this Warrant.

15. And we do further order and direct, that every packet of printed newspapers and other printed papers which shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be so transmitted in conformity with, and under, and subject to the several regulations, orders, directions and conditions hereinafter contained (that is to say):

Every British newspaper which shall be posted in the United Kingdom under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be printed and published at intervals not exceeding thirty-one days between any two consecutive numbers or parts of such publication, and the same

shall be registered by the proprietor or printer thereof, at the General Post Office in London, and shall be posted within fifteen days from the date of its publication, and the title and date of the newspaper shall be printed at the top of every page thereof.

Every packet of printed newspapers or other printed papers which shall be transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be sent open at the ends or sides, and either without a cover or in a cover or envelope open at the ends or sides, and there shall be no word or communication printed on the contents of any such packet after the publication thereof, or upon any cover thereof, nor any writing or marks upon any such contents or the cover thereof, other than and except the name and address of the person to whom the same is sent. But the name or title of any newspaper, and the name and address of the publisher, newsvender, or agent, by whom the same is sent, may be printed on the cover thereof.

No packet of printed newspapers or other printed papers transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, between the United Kingdom and France, Algeria, or the places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, shall in length, or width, or depth, exceed the dimensions of eighteen inches.

No packet of printed newspapers or other printed papers transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, shall contain any letter or communication, nor any enclosure other than printed newspapers or other printed papers.

Every packet of printed newspapers or other

printed papers transmitted by the post under the provisions of this Warrant, and posted in the United Kingdom, shall be put into the post-office at such hours in the day and under all such regulations as the Postmaster-General may appoint.

Upon every packet of printed newspapers or other printed papers, transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, which shall be posted in the United Kingdom, the postage thereof shall be paid at the time of the same being posted either in money or by being duly stamped with the proper postage stamp or stamps affixed thereto, which stamp or stamps shall be affixed or appear on the outside of every such packet, near the address or direction, and shall be of the value or amount of the postage duty payable thereon, under or by virtue of this Warrant, unless any such packet be sent from any department or office in or connected with the public service of Her Majesty which shall have a postage account with the General Post-office in London, in which case the same shall be forwarded, post-paid, and the postage thereof shall be charged in such postage account. And upon every such packet which shall be posted in any of the British colonies, or in any foreign country, the postage thereof, with any transit rate payable thereon, shall be paid at the time of the same being posted.

16. And we do further order and direct, that if any packet of printed newspapers, or other printed papers, transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, be sent by the post, otherwise than in conformity with the conditions and regulations established by or under the authority of this Warrant, the same shall and may be detained and opened at any place in the United

Kingdom, and, at the option of the Postmaster-General, shall be either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or be given up to the person to whom the same shall be addressed, or be forwarded to the place of its destination ; and any such packet, on being so returned, given up or forwarded, shall be chargeable with any rates of postage the Postmaster-General may think fit, not exceeding the rates that would be chargeable on such packet as an unpaid letter.

17. And we do further order and direct, that the rates of postage chargeable on letters, printed newspapers, and other printed papers transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, and the freedom from postage hereby granted, shall be in lieu of any rates of British postage, now chargeable by law thereon.

18. And we do further order and direct, that the respective letters and packets transmitted by the post, under the provisions of this Warrant, shall be subject to the several orders, directions, regulations, and rates of postage respectively contained in a certain Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, under the hands of two of the said Commissioners, bearing date the 19th day of February, 1855, relating to re-directed rates of postage upon letters and packets, which shall be re-directed and again forwarded by the post.

19. And we do further order and direct, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to repeal, alter, or affect any of the rates of postage fixed by a certain Warrant, in writing, under the hands of two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 14th day of November, 1855, on letters transmitted by the post, between the places therein mentioned (unless any such letters be posted in or addressed

to France, or any foreign country through France, and be transmitted through France, or foreign countries through France, and the East Indies, which last-mentioned letters shall be charged and chargeable with the rates of postage fixed by this Warrant), nor shall anything herein contained be deemed or construed to repeal, alter, or affect any of the rates of postage fixed on certain letters by a certain other Warrant, in writing, under the hands of two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, bearing date the 6th day of June, 1856.

20. And we do further order and direct, that the term "by the post," used in this Warrant, or in any Schedule hereto, shall, as to the sea conveyance, include the conveyance, by any British packet boat, and as to the conveyance between the United Kingdom and France, the said term shall also include the conveyance by private ships: and that the term "printed newspapers," used in this Warrant or in any Schedule hereto, shall include all printed newspapers whether British, colonial, or foreign, and whether the foreign newspapers be printed in a foreign language or not, and that the term "British newspaper," shall mean newspapers printed in the United Kingdom, whether they bear a newspaper stamp or not; and that the term "printed papers," used in this Warrant or any Schedule hereto, shall mean and include books (stitched or bound), pamphlets, Parliamentary proceedings, proceedings of the colonial legislatures, periodical works, prices current, commercial lists, courses of exchange, sheets of music, prints, or printed or engraved maps, catalogues, prospectuses, announcements, and notices of every kind, whether British, colonial, or foreign, and whether printed, engraved, or lithographed; and that so far as respects packets

transmitted between the United Kingdom and France, Algeria, and the several places in Turkey, Syria, and Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, the said term "printed papers," shall also include any binding, mounting, or covering (whether loose or attached) of, or upon, or belonging to, any printed book or publication, or any portion thereof, or of, or belonging to, any printed paper, and any cases or rollers of prints, or printed or engraved maps, book markers, pencils, pens, or other articles usually appertaining to any such book, publication, or printed paper, or necessary for its safe transmission; and that the term "British North America," used in this Warrant or in any schedule hereto, shall include the provinces of Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island, and Newfoundland, and their respective dependencies; and that the several other terms and expressions used in this Warrant or any schedule hereto, shall be construed to have the like meaning in all respects as they would have had if inserted in the said Act, passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

21. And we do further order and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners for the time being of Her Majesty's Treasury, by Warrant, under their hands, duly made at any time hereafter, to alter, repeal, or revoke any of the rates of postage hereby fixed, or any of the orders, regulations, conditions and restrictions hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates, orders, regulations, conditions, and restrictions in lieu thereof, and from time to time to appoint at what time the rates which may be payable are to be paid.

22. And we do further order and direct, that this Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January next.

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Postage charge

Posted in	Addressed to
The United Kingdom	France or Algeria }
	Any of the following countries, viâ France, viz. : Turkey, Syria, Egypt (the places at which France maintains post- offices excepted), the Ionian Islands, Tunis, Tangiers, Greece, Italy, Switzerland, the several States of Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Rus- sia, Poland, and the Danubian Provinces }
	Places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices, viâ France }
France or Algeria	The United Kingdom }
	Malta }
France or Algeria, or Foreign Countries viâ France }	Her Majesty's Colonies, passing through the United Kingdom }

regarding Warrant refers.

RULE A.

Rule on Letters.

Single Rate.	
(British and Foreign) Four pence	{ Whether the sea conveyance be by British or French packet boat or by private ship
(British) Two pence	{ The sea conveyance in the Mediterranean in those cases where the letters are carried by sea being by French packet boat
(British and Foreign) Sixpence, paid Nine pence, unpaid	{ Whether the sea conveyance be by British or French packet boat
(British and Foreign) Four pence (British and Foreign) Four pence	{ The sea conveyance being by British packet boat or private ship

SCHEDULE A

Posted in	Addressed to
France or Algeria, or Foreign Countries, viâ France	The East Indies or China or Hong Kong, or Australia, without passing through the United Kingdom
Any of the following countries, viâ France, viz.: Turkey, Syria, Egypt (the places at which France maintains post - offices excepted), the Ionian Islands, Tunis, Tangiers, Greece, Italy, Switzerland, the several States of Germany, the Netherlands, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Russia, Poland, and the Danubian Provinces	The United Kingdom
Places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post offices, viâ France	The United Kingdom
Foreign countries, viâ France (not passing through the United Kingdom)	Malta

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Single Rate.	
(British) Four pence	
(British) Two pence (British and Foreign) Six pence, paid nine pence, unpaid	The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean in those cases where the letters are carried by sea being by French packet-boat
(British) One penny	The sea conveyance being by British or French packet boats

SCHEDULE A

Posted in	Addressed to
Ports of Italy or Greece	Malta {
Places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices {	Malta {
Any port in Turkey at which France does not maintain a post-office {	Malta {
Malta {	France or Algeria {
	Foreign countries, viâ France (not passing through the United Kingdom) {
	Ports of Italy or Greece {
	Places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices {
	Any port in Turkey at which France does not maintain a post-office {
The East Indies, China, Hong Kong, or Australia {	France or Algeria, or foreign countries, viâ France, without passing through the United Kingdom {

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Single British Rate.	
(British) One penny (British and Foreign) Four pence, paid Sixpence, unpaid	} The sea conveyance being by French packet boat
(British) One penny	{ The sea conveyance being by French packet boat
(British and Foreign) Four pence	} Whether the sea con- veyance in the Mediterranean be by British or French packet boat
(British) One penny	} Whether the sea con- veyance in the Mediterranean be by British or French packet boat
(British) One penny (British and Foreign) Four pence, paid Sixpence, unpaid	} The sea conveyance being by French packet boat
(British) One penny	} The sea conveyance being by French packet boat
(British) Four pence	{ Via Egypt, the sea conveyance in the Mediterranean be- ing by British or French Packet boat

SCHEDULE A

Posted in	Addressed to
Her Majesty's Colonies	France or Algeria, or foreign countries, <i>viâ</i> France, passing through the United Kingdom

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Postage Charge

Posted in	Addressed to
	Spain, <i>viâ</i> France Portugal, <i>viâ</i> France
	Malta, <i>viâ</i> France
The United Kingdom	Ionian Islands, <i>viâ</i> France
	Any foreign country beyond sea, <i>viâ</i> France (foreign countries in Europe, and all foreign countries in or bordering on the Mediterranean excepted)
Spain Portugal	The United Kingdom, <i>viâ</i> France
Malta	The United Kingdom, <i>viâ</i> France

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Single British Rate.	
(British) Four pence	{ The sea conveyance between the United Kingdom and the Colonies being by British packet boat or private ship

RULE B.*able on Letters.*

Single British Rate.	
Five pence Five pence	
Sixpence	{ The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean being by French packet boat
One shilling	{ The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean being by British packet boat
Five pence	{ The sea conveyance from France being by French packet boat or private ship
Five pence Five pence	
Sixpence	{ The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean being by French packet boat

SCHEDULE B

Posted in	Addressed to
The East Indies, } China, Hong Kong, } or Australia } Spain or Portugal } Ionian Islands } Egypt } Malta or Gibraltar } Egypt } Spain or Portugal }	Spain or Portugal } The East Indies, China, } Hong Kong, or Australia } The United Kingdom, via } France } Malta } Spain or Portugal } Gibraltar, Ionian Islands, } Spain, or Portugal } Malta or Gibraltar }
Egypt } Any port in Syria or } Turkey }	Any port in Syria or Turkey } Egypt }
Malta } Gibraltar, Ionian } Islands, Spain, or } Portugal } One port in Spain or } Portugal }	Egypt } Egypt } Another port in Spain or } Portugal }
Any foreign country } beyond sea, via } France (foreign } countries in Europe } and all foreign } countries in or bor- } dering on the Medi- } terranean excepted) }	The United Kingdom

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Single British Rate.	
Ten pence, in addition to the Red Sea or Persian Gulf packet rate, payable under the Act of the 3 and 4 Vict., cap. 96	The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean being by British packet boat
One shilling	
Five pence	
Five pence	
Ten pence	
Five pence	The sea conveyance in the Mediterra- nean being by French packet boat
Five pence	
Five pence	
Five pence	The sea conveyance being by British packet boat
Ten pence	
Five pence	
Five pence	The sea conveyance to France being by French packet or by private ship

SCHEDULE C.

Postage Chargeable on Printed Newspapers.

First Column.	Second Column.	Single Rate.
<i>Posted in</i> The United Kingdom	<i>Addressed to</i> France or Algeria, or foreign countries on the continent of Europe, or to any of the islands of the Grecian Archipelago, via France, or the several places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt at which France maintains post-offices (transmitted via France)	One penny

SCHEDULE D.

Postage Chargeable on Printed Papers other than Printed Newspapers.

First Column.	Second Column.	Single Rate.
<i>Posted in</i> The United Kingdom	<i>Addressed to</i> France or Algeria, or foreign countries on the continent of Europe, or to any of the islands of the Grecian Archipelago, via France, or the several places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt at which France maintains post-offices (transmitted via France)	Three pence

SCHEDULE E.

Postage Chargeable on Printed Newspapers and other Printed Papers.

First Column.	Second Column.	Single Rate.
France or Algeria	British Colonies, via United Kingdom	Two pence
Foreign countries, via France	United Kingdom or British Colonies, via United Kingdom	Two pence, where a French transit rate is chargeable ; one penny where no such rate is chargeable
France or Algeria	United Kingdom or foreign countries, via the United Kingdom	Free of British postage

Places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, at which France maintains post-offices	United Kingdom, viâ France, and by French packet boat	Free of British postage
Malta	France or Algeria, or foreign countries on the continent of Europe, or the islands of the Grecian Archipelago, or countries beyond the sea, viâ France, by British or French packet boat	Two pence
Malta	The several places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt, where France maintains post-offices (by French packet boat)	One penny
Malta	Ports in Italy or Greece, or any port in Turkey at which France does not maintain a post-office (by French packet boat)	One penny
France or Algeria	Malta, by British packet boat	Free of British postage

SCHEDULE E.—*continued.*

First Column.	Second Column.	Single Rate.
Foreign countries, via France	Malta, by British packet boat	Two pence, where a French transit rate is chargeable; one penny, where no such rate is chargeable
British Colonies	France and Algeria, via the United Kingdom, or the several places in Turkey, Syria, or Egypt at which France maintains post-offices, or foreign countries on the continent of Europe, or the islands of the Grecian Archipelago, or countries beyond sea, all via the United Kingdom and France	Two pence

SCHEDULE F.

First Column.	Second Column.	Single Rate.
<i>Posted in</i>	<i>Addressed to</i>	
The United Kingdom	British Newspapers. The East Indies, or the Mediterranean, China, Hong Kong, or Australia, by the closed mail, viâ Marseilles	Two pence each
The East Indies, or the Mediterranean, China, Hong Kong, or Australia	Foreign and Colonial Newspapers. The United Kingdom, by the closed mail, viâ Marseilles	Two pence each

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the twentieth day of December, 1856.

*H. Brand.
Duncan.*

BARQUE "HYMEN," OF LIVERPOOL, captured by Riff Pirates, on the Moorish Coast, in April, 1856.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trade have received from Her Majesty's Consul at Tangier, through the Foreign Office, bills of exchange amounting to £3,278 5s., being the equivalent in sterling of 16,000 dollars, paid by the Moorish Government in satisfaction of the loss occasioned by the pirates.

All persons interested in the above ship, cargo, freight, wages, &c., are requested to send in their claims, with full particulars, accompanied with documents and such evidence of their right as they are able to furnish, to the Board of Trade, on or before the 20th January, after which the distribution will be made as soon as sums to which the respective claimants shall be found to be entitled shall be ascertained.

Board of Trade,
22nd December, 1856.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 26,
1856.

Whitehall, December 26, 1856.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Earl Granville to be Chancellor of the University of London, in the room of the Earl of Burlington, resigned.

Foreign-Office, December 26, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don José Joaquin de Mora as Consul-General in London; of Don Lorenzo Juan Gutierrez as Consul at Hong Kong; and of Don Manuel Gomez de Avellaneda as Consul at Malta, for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

The Queen has been also pleased to approve of Mr. Gideon S. Holmes as Consul at the Cape of Good Hope, for the United States of America.

War-Department, Pall-Mall,

26th December, 1856.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Robert Blair, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Lieutenant, vice Chadwick, who exchanges. Dated 26th December, 1856.

3rd Dragoon Guards. The Christian name of Troop-Serjeant Major Don, appointed to a Cornecy, without purchase, and Adjutancy, on the 12th December, 1856, is *James*, and not *William*, as previously stated.

9th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant John De Heley Chadwick, from the 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Blair, who exchanges. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Samuel Ashton Pretor, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Gifford, promoted in the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Corps of Royal Engineers, Staff-Serjeant James Mutch to be Quartermaster and Commissary of Clothing. Dated 22nd December, 1856.

For Gentleman Cadet George Edward Langham Somerset *Sandford* to be Lieutenant, which appeared in the Gazette of the 11th ultimo.

Read, Gentleman Cadet George Edward Langham Somerset *Sanford*.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Chalmers to be Captain, without purchase, vice Adams, deceased. Dated 24th September, 1856.

Ensign Charles Squirrel to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Chalmers. Dated 24th September, 1856.

4th Foot, Ensign George M. Billington to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable H. N. G. Massey, who retires. Dated 26th December, 1856.

David Smith, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Billington. Dated 26th December, 1856.

29th Foot, John Edward Longden, Esq., late Paymaster, Turkish Contingent, to be Paymaster, vice Jameson, deceased. Dated 26th December, 1856.

40th Foot, Ensign John Vander Horst Rees, from the 90th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Handy, who exchanges. Dated 26th December, 1856.

43rd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Croker has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 26th December, 1856.

44th Foot. The Christian name of Mr. Abbott, who was permitted to resign his Commission as Ensign on 12th instant, is *John*, and not *William*, as previously stated.

47th Foot, Ensign Spencer Edward Orr to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Mallet, deceased. Dated 10th December, 1856.

Ensign George Ourry Clarke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Morres, who retires. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Samuel Heywood, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Clarke. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Thomas Elwood, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Orr. Dated 27th December, 1856.

57th Foot, Ensign Samuel F. Sewell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Macartney, deceased. Dated 8th December, 1856.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Henry Cox, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Sewell. Dated 26th December, 1856.

62nd Foot, Ensign James O'Hara to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Duff, who retires. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Reginald Whitting, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice O'Hara. Dated 26th December, 1856.

72nd Foot, Ensign James William Fitzgerald Butler has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 26th December, 1856.

90th Foot, Ensign Samuel Roden Handy, from the 40th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Rees, who exchanges. Dated 26th December, 1856.

CAVALRY DEPOT (Maidstone).

For Captain William Miller, *from* half-pay of the 2nd Dragoons, to be Adjutant, which appeared in the Gazette of 14th November, 1856,

Read, Captain William Miller, *on* half-pay, &c., &c., &c.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff-Assistant-Surgeon Douglas Arthur Reid, M.D., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, with local rank, Thomas Ligertwood, M.B., to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class. Dated 20th October, 1856.

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

- Brevet-Major John George Rawstorne, 91st Foot.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Major Robert Henry Lindsell, 28th Foot. Dated
26th December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major Tyrrell Matthias Byrne, 1st Foot.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Major John A. V. Kirkland, Unattached. Dated
26th December, 1856.
- Major James Conolly, Unattached. Dated 26th
December, 1856.
- Major Frederick Robert Elrington, Rifle Brigade.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major Thomas Henry Clifton, Unattached.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major John Turner, C.B., Royal Artillery. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Major Edward W. D. Bell, 23rd Foot. Dated
26th December, 1856.
- Major Robert Lockhart Ross, Depôt Battalion.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Major Robert William Lowry, 47th Foot. Dated
26th December, 1856.
- Major Frederick Spence, 31st Foot. Dated 26th
December, 1856.
- Major Edward Westby Donovan, 33rd Foot.
Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major J. F. Manners Browne, C.B., Royal
Engineers. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Major Robert O. Bright, 19th Foot. Dated 26th
December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major S. Delves Broughton, Royal Ar-
tillery. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Brevet-Major William A. Fyers, Rifle Brigade.
Dated 26th December, 1856.

Brevet-Major Hugh A. B. Campbell, Royal Artillery. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Major William Pretyma, Dépôt Battalion. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Brevet-Major Henry Robert Carden, 77th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Brevet-Major George L. Thomson, 4th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Major David Watson, 82nd Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

To be Majors.

Captain Edward E. Haines, 92nd Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain William Murray, 10th Light Dragoons. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Richard Anderson, 56th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain George Edward Baynes, 8th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Henry Loftus, 71st Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain R. J. Ross O'Connor, 17th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Richard Roche, 72nd Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain William Francis Ring, 87th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Edward B. Cureton, 12th Light Dragoons. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Honourable Edward S. Plunkett, 95th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Henry Charles Fitz Gerald, 33rd Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Henry W. Campbell, 79th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Captain Horatio H. Morant, 68th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.

- Captain William Pole Collingwood, 21st Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain H. Bassett Scott, 9th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Joshua Grant Crosse, 88th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Frederick C. Bligh, 41st Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain William D. Macdonald, 93rd Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Thomas Gilley, Adjutant of a Depot Battalion. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Lieutenant and Captain Alexander Viscount Balgonie, Grenadier Guards. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Lieutenant and Captain Robert James Lindsay, Scots Fusilier Guards. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain George John Forsyth, 57th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Alexander J. J. Macdonald, 95th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Coote Buller, Rifle Brigade. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain Frederick E. Appleyard, 7th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Captain H. Hope Crealock, 90th Foot. Dated 26th December, 1856.
- Paymaster Richard Jellicoe, Half-pay Recruiting District, to be Major in the Army, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st September, 1856.

The following promotions to take place in consequence of the death of General the Honourable William Henry Gardner, of the Royal Artillery, viz. :

- Lieutenant-General Richard Secker Brough to be General. Dated 16th December, 1856.

Major-General Thomas Dyneley, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 16th December, 1856.

Major-General Sir William Fenwick Williams, Bart., K.C.B., the Senior Supernumerary General Officer, to be placed on the fixed establishment. Dated 16th December, 1856.

The undermentioned Officers on the Retired Full Pay List of the Royal Artillery, to be Generals, in consequence of the promotion of Lieutenant-General Brough, the Officer who stood next below them at the time of their retirement, in accordance with the 21st clause of the Royal Warrant of 3rd November, 1854, viz. :—

Lieutenant-General Richard Uniacke, of the late Royal Irish Artillery. Dated 16th December, 1856.

Lieutenant-General George Irving, of the late Royal Irish Artillery. Dated 16th December, 1856.

The undermentioned Cadets of the East India Company's Service, to have the local and temporary rank of Ensign during the period of their being placed under the command of Colonel Sandham, Royal Engineers, at Chatham, for Field Instructions in the art of Sapping and Mining :

John Herschel, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Robert Claude Daubuz, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

Hastings Macsween, Gent. Dated 26th December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Queen.**Warwickshire Militia.**1st Regiment.*

Robert Dymock Vaughton, Esq., to be Adjutant, and to rank as Captain, vice Captain and Adjutant T. Cassan, resigned. Commission as Adjutant from the Crown, dated the 7th November, 1856. Commission as Captain, dated the 18th December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk.**2nd or Eastern Regiment of Norfolk Militia.*

Ensign John Gurneys Freeman to be Lieutenant, vice Mathew, promoted. Dated 19th December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**3rd, or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

Ensign John Willcocks to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas, appointed Quartermaster. Dated 15th December, 1856.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

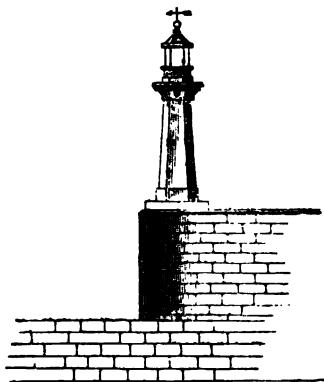
(No. 45.) JERSEY.—CHANNEL ISLANDS.

Fixed Light at Verclut, St. Catherine's.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty hereby give notice that on and after the 1st day of January, 1857, a light will be exhibited from the light tower recently erected at the outer extremity of Verclut pier or breakwater, on the

north side of St. Catherine's Bay, on the east coast of Jersey, one of the Channel Islands.

The light will be a fixed white light, the illuminating apparatus a lens of the sixth order. The light is placed at a height of 60 feet above the mean level of the sea, and should be visible in ordinary weather from the deck of a ship at a distance of from 7 to 10 miles.



Verclut Lighthouse, from the east,
at high water.

The light tower is an octagonal structure of iron, painted white. It is 30 feet high from base to vane, and stands on the outer extremity of the parapet wall of the pier, in lat. $49^{\circ} 13' 18''$ N., long. $2^{\circ} 1' 12''$ west from Greenwich nearly.

The tide at Jersey ranges 20 feet at neaps, and 36 feet at ordinary springs.

By command of their Lordships,
John Washington, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
17th December, 1856.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, No. 1598; Jersey, No. 62; Cape Cartaret to Cape Frehel, No. 59; also British Lighthouse List, No. 23.

1856.

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A Provisional Order, signed by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, and dated December 3rd, 1856, authorizes the Trustees of the

Wells and Fakenham Road

to reduce the rate of interest on their mortgage debt (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant to the Act 14th and 15th Victoria, cap. 38.

A similar Order, dated December 15th, 1856, authorizes the Trustees of the

Enstone, Heyford Bridge, Bicester, Weston-on-the-Green, and Kirtlington Turnpike Roads

to reduce the rate of interest on their mortgage debt, and to extinguish the whole of the arrears due and remaining unpaid (as set forth in this Gazette), pursuant to the said Act.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 30,
1856.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 29th day of
December, 1856.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Crespigny, Lord Vivian, to be Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Cornwall, he this day took the oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy.

Whitehall, December 29, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing Samuel Gale, Esq.; John Southerden Burn, Esq.; George Graham, Esq.; Robert Lush, Esq., Barrister-at-Law; William Palmer Parken, Esq., Barrister-at-Law; Horace Mann, Esq., Barrister-at-Law; and Hull Terrell, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the state, custody, and authenticity of certain non-parochial registers of births or baptisms, deaths or burials, and marriages in England and Wales.

Foreign-Office, December 27, 1856.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Frederick Arend Ebbeke as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica, for the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

Crown-Office, December 29, 1856.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

County of Suffolk.

Eastern Division.

The Right Honourable John Henniker Major
Lord Henniker, in the room of Sir Edward
Sherlock Gooch, Bart., deceased.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 30, 1856.*

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for

Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, transmitting copy of a recent Portuguese Royal Decree, fixing as follows the import duties upon the undermentioned articles :

1. Foreign maize to come under provisions of Articles 1 and 2 of Law of 3rd July, 1856, *i. e.*, payment of 20 reis per alquiere.
2. Foreign salt to pay 10 reis per 100 lbs.
3. Foreign oil to pay 1,200 reis per 100 lbs.
5. Vessels importing full cargoes of cereals will be exempted from payment of tonnage dues ; and vessels importing part cargoes of cereals will be exempted from tonnage dues in proportion to the quantity.

The provisions of the Decree are to continue in force until the end of June, 1857.

*War-Department, Pall-Mall,
30th December, 1856.*

Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant-General William Greenshields Power, C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General the Honourable William Henry Gardner, deceased. Dated 16th December, 1856.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Northumberland.*

Northumberland Regiment of Militia Artillery.

— William Barras, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant.
Dated 24th December, 1856.

**NOTICE TO MASTERS AND ONLY MATES OF
FOREIGN GOING SHIPS.**

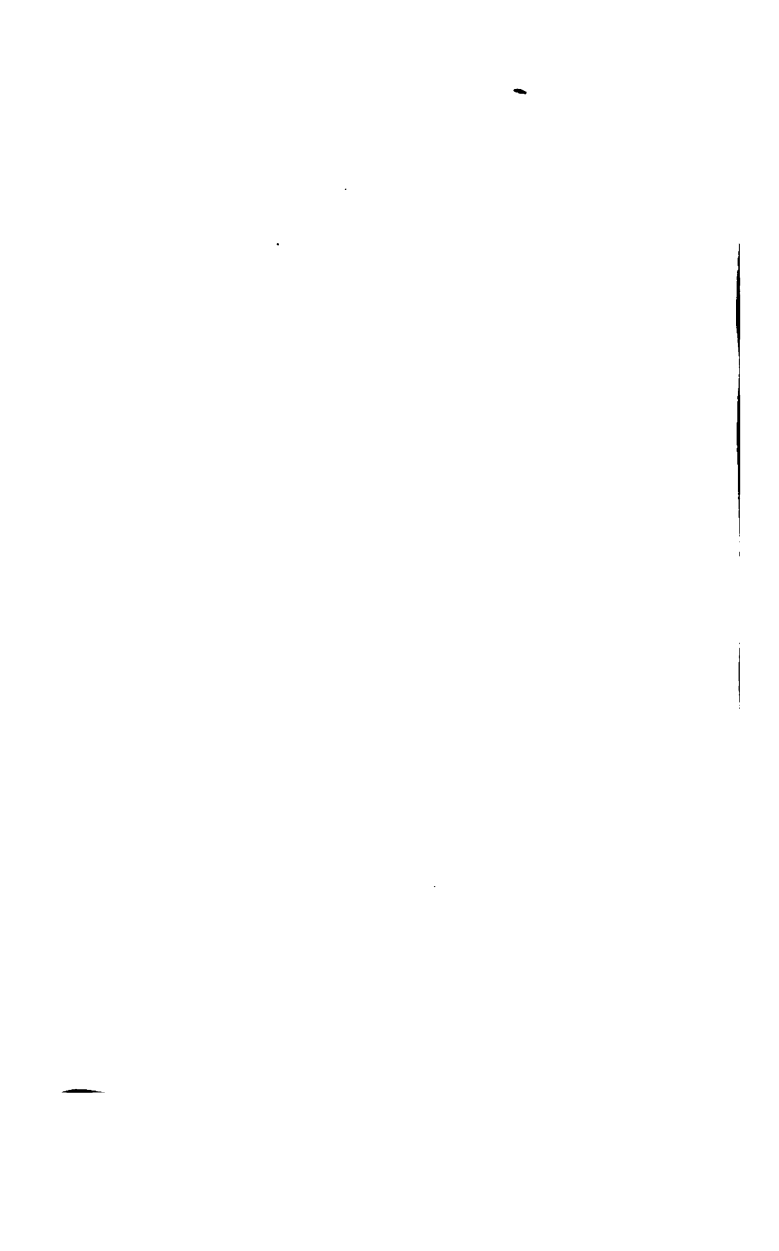
The following additions to the qualifications now required from persons applying for Certificates of competency for foreign going ships, will be made after the 31st March, 1857 :

All masters of foreign going ships, in addition to the subjects of examination prescribed in the Notice of Examination issued in 1855, will be examined in so much of the laws of the tides as is necessary to enable them to shape a course and to compare their soundings with the depths marked on the charts.

All only mates must be nineteen years of age, and must have been five years at sea, and, in addition to the qualifications required in the Notice above referred to, must be able to find the longitude by chronometer in the usual way.

Board of Trade,

29th December, 1856.



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